

Thorntonite



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Property of
Charlotte
Gottschalk

Good Luck to
Sweet girl
and her classmates
Audrey Blunt

Good Luck
Biology Service
W. H. H. H.
C. H. H. H.

Best of Luck
Melvin Haddon

To a fellow - lots of
"home-woodite" - Charlotte
Luck to you, Joan
Good Luck,
Pat Berglund

Best of luck to a small
history pal. Class of '43
Gunnar Carpenter

Loads of Luck
Mildred Rosen

Loads of ~~luck~~ love
success, a real pal
from a real pleasure
We had the pleasure
of knowing these years
Love to a good friend
Mary Golden

Loads of Luck
to a small Latin pal
Marge
Bartholomew

THE
THORNTONITE
1943



TWENTY-EIGHTH YEARBOOK OF
Thornton Township High School
HARVEY, ILLINOIS



Dedication

To Miss Eva L. Lieber, Head of Thornton's Business department,

For her high standards of efficiency and integrity upon which the confidence of the community in Thornton's commerce graduates is based,

For her common sense attitude, combining understanding, patience, and firmness, toward everyday problems,

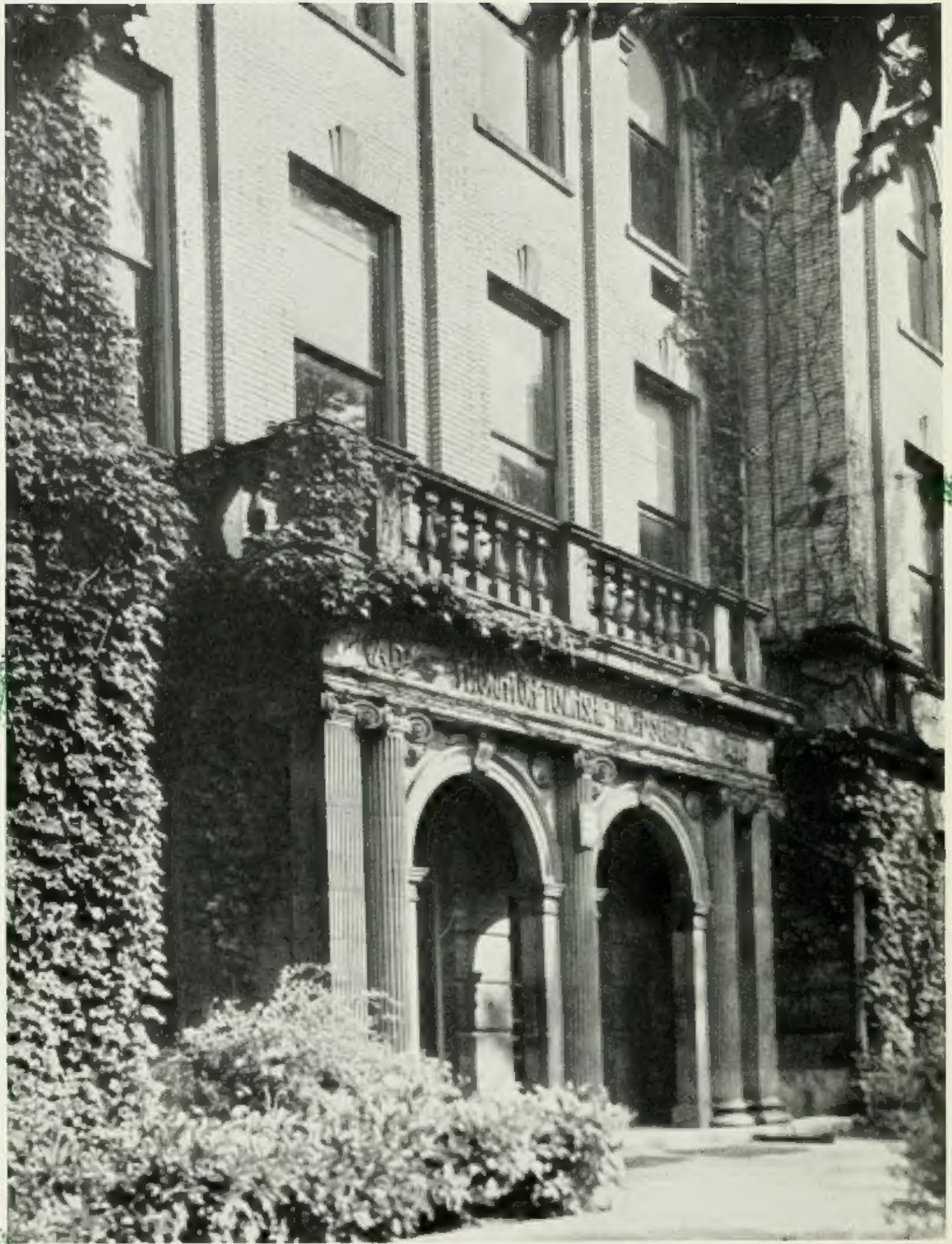
Because of her love for her profession by which she helps to liberalize and refine the minds and hearts of youth that they may wisely fill their places in the world,

For her complete and absolute loyalty to Thornton—pride in its past, belief in its present, and faith in its future —

We, the Class of 1943, sincerely dedicate this, our twenty-eighth, THORNTONITE.










Thornton at Work

The time is 8:40 A.M. This is Thornton Township High School speaking. A new day is just beginning. R-r-ring-g-g! There goes the last minute dash to homeroom, the clang of slamming locker doors, the end of only half completed conversations. In less than five minutes silence reigns in my halls.

Step inside one of my homerooms. Soon after that bell, all hear coming over the loud speaker system the voice of our superintendent announcing what's new for the day. Six bells ring, and more than five hundred seniors stream out of their homerooms to an assembly in the auditorium.

Down the hall the school nurse is doing her usual rushing business. The day's beginning finds her busy checking re-entrance permits and not infrequently doing some "patching-up" work.

Nine o'clock, when classes begin. Clickety clack clack and peck peck, one of my busy typing rooms. I'm turning out efficient stenographers and commercial workers for Uncle Sam as fast as possible.



Notice that trophy case! State champion in basketball, 1935; first in state band contest, 1941; All-American yearbook rating, 1942; my boys and girls do their work well.

That is study hall 211 on your left. Ignored by all smooth seniors, it's a study hall for freshman only.

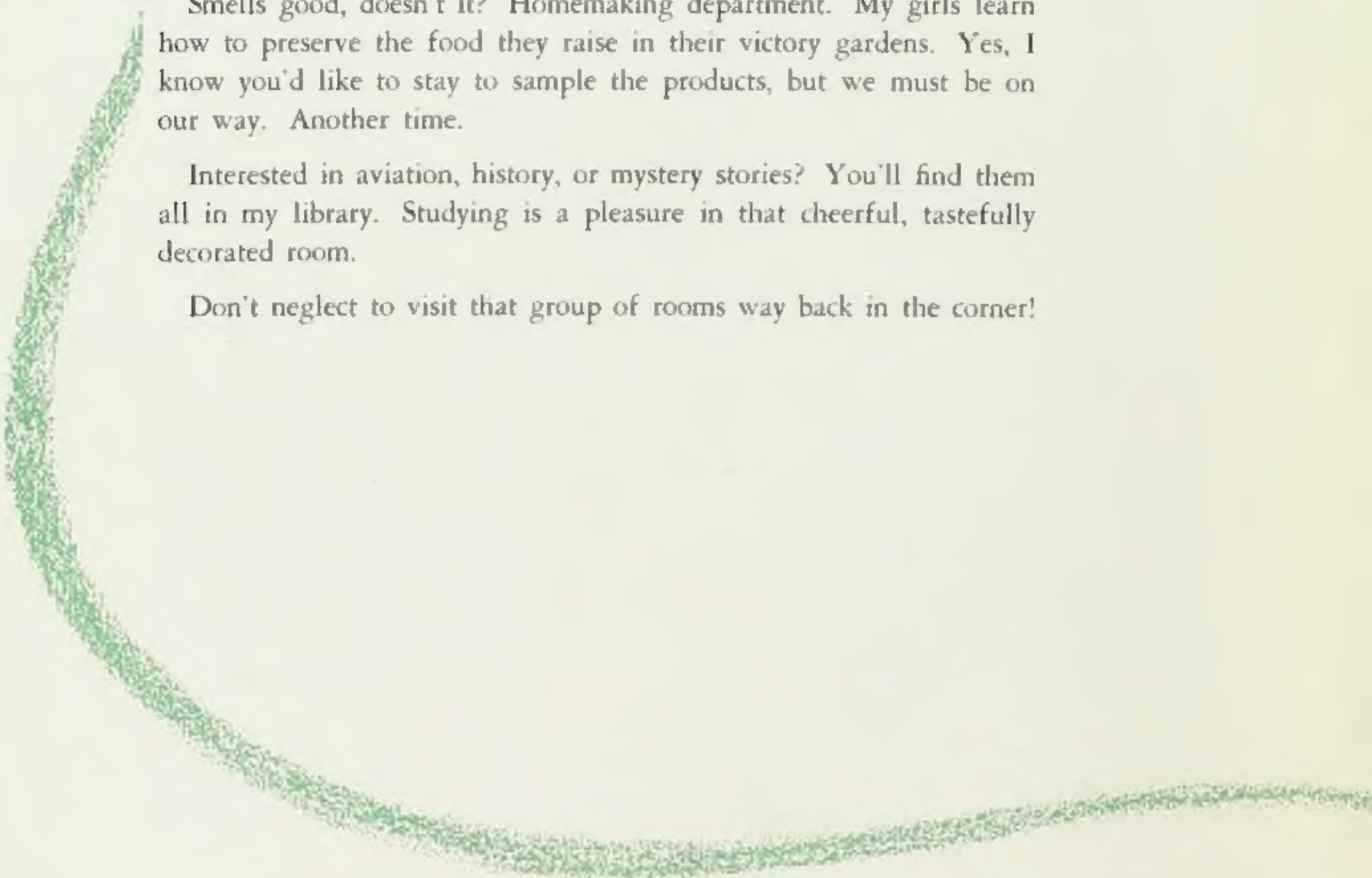
Better not go in there without being announced; that's the girls' gym! Rhythms, shuffle board, basketball go on concurrently to build healthy bodies.

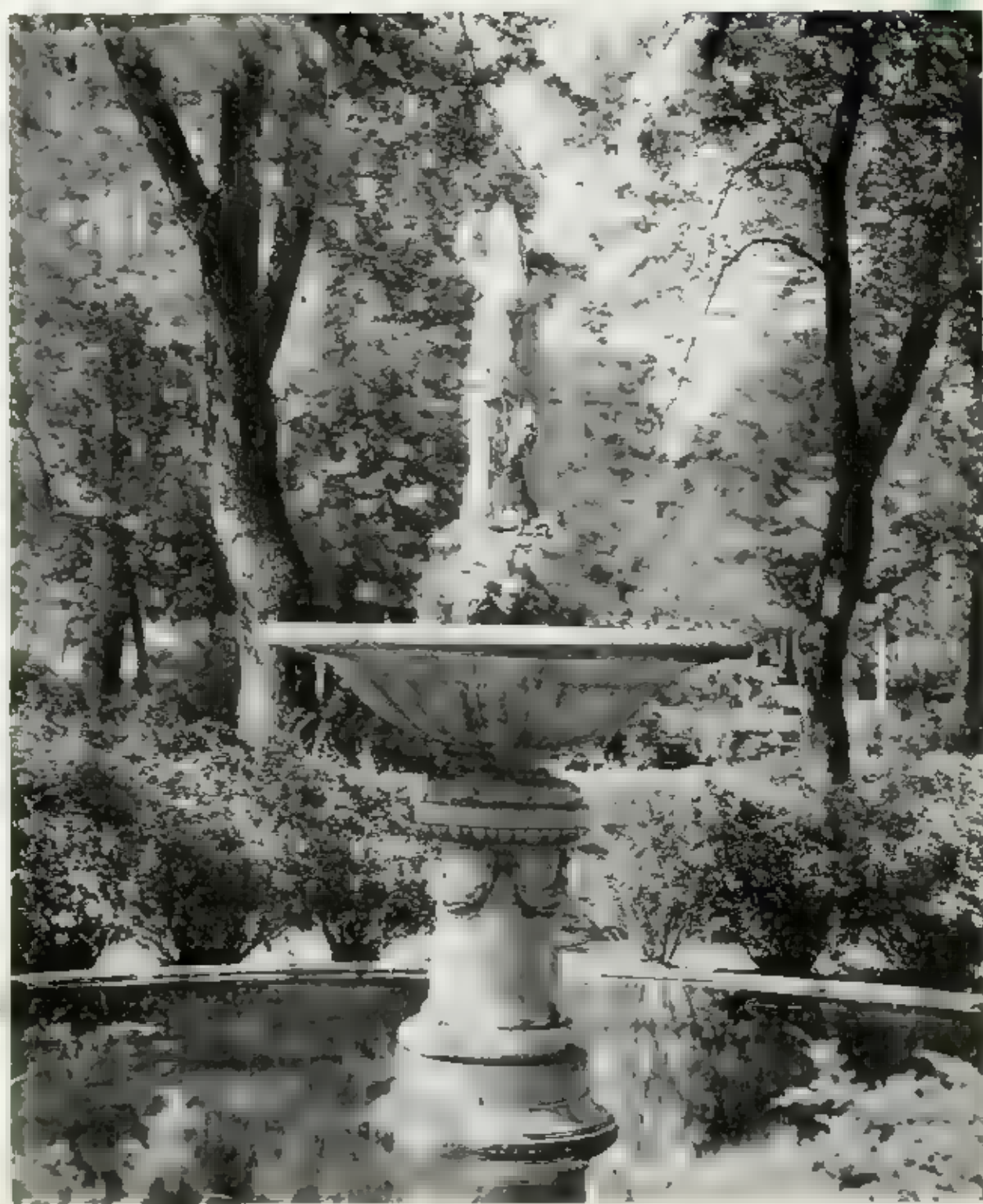
On this side is the bookstore. In addition to a flourishing business in books and supplies, the store is now busy selling defense stamps.


Smells good, doesn't it? Homemaking department. My girls learn how to preserve the food they raise in their victory gardens. Yes, I know you'd like to stay to sample the products, but we must be on our way. Another time.

Interested in aviation, history, or mystery stories? You'll find them all in my library. Studying is a pleasure in that cheerful, tastefully decorated room.

Don't neglect to visit that group of rooms way back in the corner!








They are the art rooms. What will you have, an attractive poster, handmade jewelry or pottery? In the mathematics department people learn of trigonometry's use to members of industry and the armed forces. My students thrive on hard work. Almost a hundred of them come at eight every morning to study aeronautics.

Did you hear the music of a rhumba? It may not be the usual thing in a classroom, but after all Thornton isn't an ordinary school. We are taking care of a bit of Pan-Americanism right here. And music is just another step in understanding our neighbors to the south.

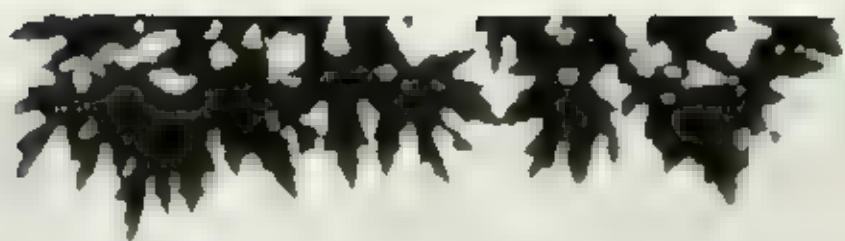
Since it's afternoon, let's brave the crowd and eat in Thornton's cafeteria. Is it surprising to find everything running so smoothly? My cafeteria manager deserves a big hand for feeding good meals from rationed foods to several hundred people each day.

Evidently the newspaper staff doesn't eat. I find them working in 108 at any and all times.

In addition to the regular library, I have a library for use of English students in class work. This library of 18,618 volumes is the foundation for the broad reading program which my English classes enjoy, in addition to their other work in literature, composition, and speech.







Upperclassmen may elect to study creative writing, journalism, radio workshop, and dramatics.

If you aren't afraid of queer odors, we can peek into a chemistry lab. Mustard gas, thermite bombs, coal tar dyes—no limit to the things taught here.

Where's your pass? Another student is stopped by a hall guard who is doing his part to keep the halls clear and quiet. The hall guards help in air raid and fire drills too, keeping order and acting as fire watchers.

Even a fire could not empty a school building faster than the 3:30 bell. By 3:45 the halls are empty, but wait I hear some very gay music. I thought so. The hep cats are cuttin' the rug in the Little Theater, but the Girls Club office is still full of girls hard at work.

Now the clock in the main hall across from Mr. Abraham Lincoln says it is five P.M. Goodbye, I enjoyed showing you samples of my work. I'll have a short nap before my doors open again, this time to several hundred night school students. 'Round the clock—that's the way I work! And I'm proud to do it.



Mr. Edwin R. Waterman, member, Mr. G. H. Gibson, Vice-president; Mr. Burton Evans, attorney; Mr. Frank P. Cowing, member, Mr. Walter Haines, member, Mr. A. H. McDougall, President

Board of Education

Elected by the people of Thornton Township, the Board of Education of Illinois school district 205 is composed of five competent citizens who without regard for monetary compensation take upon themselves the responsibility of directing Thornton Township High School and Junior College.

These worthy citizens are Mr. A. H. McDougall, President of the Board of Education, who holds the position of Vice-president of the Whiting Corporation; Mr. G. H. Gibson, Vice-president of the Board, who before retirement from an active business life was President of the Chicago Steel Car Company; Mr. Walter Haines, Thornton Township Collector; Mr. Frank P. Cowing, attorney-at-law; and Mr. Edwin R. Waterman, farmer and banker.

Mr. Clarence W. Waaso and Mr. Burton Evans, secretary and attorney, respectively, to the board are elected by that group. Mr. A. F. Waldschmidt, treasurer of Thornton Township, is elected by the three trustees of the township.

Chief among the duties of the board is the employment of an outstanding superintendent and faculty and the direction of the school's financial policies. Throughout the years the Board of Education has maintained for Thornton an enviable financial rating.

Because these five citizens have given of their time and experience over unusually long periods of time, Mr. Gibson since 1912 and Mr. McDougall since 1913, a stable plan of exacting efficiency and a firm policy of high values characterize the Board's activities.



William E. McVey, B.S., A.M., Ph.D. Ohio University, University of Chicago. Superintendent of Thornton Township High School and Junior College

Superintendent McVey

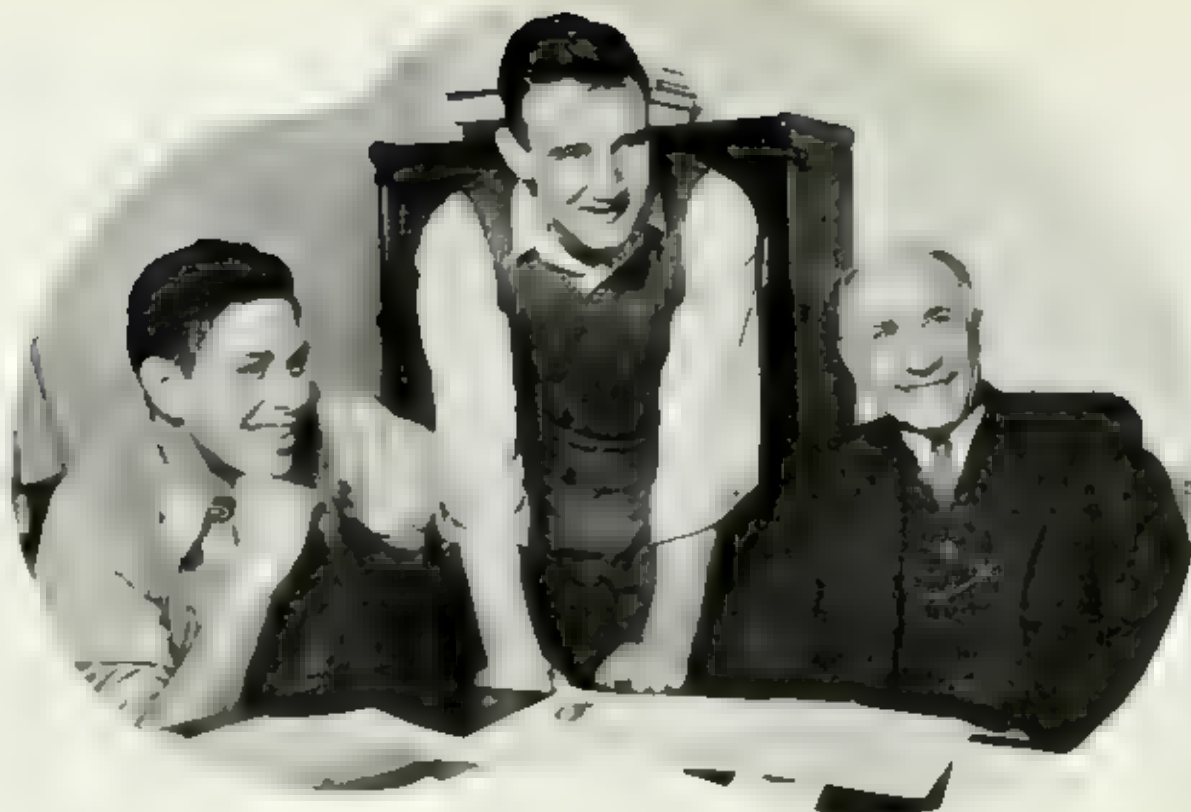
Behind every successful enterprise there is the forceful direction of an individual whose leadership inspires the confidence of his fellow workers and whose personality generates sympathetic helpfulness. Such a man is Superintendent William E. McVey, who directs the work of Thornton Township High School and Junior College. Each morning Dr. McVey's kindly voice over the public address system gives announcements to the students and faculty.

In addition to carrying out his executive duties, Superintendent McVey found time for intensive study and research on the subject of "Standards for the Accreditation of Secondary Schools." As a result of that study and of class work at the University of Chicago, the university conferred on him, on December 18, 1943, the degree of Doctor of Philosophy.

In his dissertation Dr. McVey traced the origin of secondary school standards which are a part of accrediting procedures, determined the trends in these standards since 1870, offered a critical evaluation of standards as they exist today, considered the overlapping tendencies of these agencies serving the secondary school, and evaluated the influence these standards have wielded upon the educational programs of secondary schools.

Dr. McVey, Thornton's leader since 1919, was during the current year elected President of the North Central Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges, an honor which not often comes to a school and of which all Thornton is genuinely proud.

O. Fred Umbaugh, AB
A.M. Wittenberg College
University of Chicago
Head of English Department
Dean of Boys



Faculty

Just as a building cannot stand without good foundation, so a school cannot function successfully without a trained efficient faculty. Thornton is fortunate in having such a faculty. In addition to a plentiful supply of M. A.'s and Ph. D.'s, many of the faculty members have traveled widely in all parts of the world.

But degrees and broad cultural background are not the only essentials of a good teacher. Between the teachers and students at Thornton the informal spirit of a friendly group contributes to lasting friendships formed by teachers and students.

Naturally, the two faculty members who know the most students are the deans, Miss Helene Wilson and Mr. O. F. Umbaugh. They are the ones called upon most frequently to help students with perplexing problems. If a student is in need of financial assistance in order to attend school, it is one of the deans

who finds help. If a boy or girl has difficulty in becoming adjusted to life at Thornton, it is to one of the deans he goes for assistance. The deans, busy people that they are, also keep running smoothly the affairs of the Boys and Girls clubs.

Mr. Umbaugh is not only Dean of Boys, but also Head of the English Department, and has charge of attendance. With the aid of the Student Personnel council he checks on reasons for absence in order to keep students at their most important job for the present, attending school.

Dr. C. R. Maddox is also well known to the students at Thornton. As Supervisor of Instruction, he administers the standardized tests which are taken by all prospective Thornton freshmen and guides the students through the labyrinth of that first baffling year at Thornton.



Helene E. Wilson, B.A., M.A. Un-
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University, Oxford University. Eng-
lish Dean of Girls

John D. Mees, BEd, MS, Southern Illinois State Teachers College, University of Illinois, University of Missouri, BEd, Principal of Class of 1948

The three upper class principals, Mr. J. D. Mees, Senior; Mr. J. B. Stephens, Junior, and Mr. J. F. Zimmerman, Sophomore, use a rotating system whereby one class principal guides a class from the sophomore through the senior year. This enables the principal to know better the members of his class, so that he can advise them with greater authority. He is responsible for arranging student programs and for keeping records of student credits. He keeps a complete record of citizenship status, grades and personality ratings for each student.

Thornton's faculty members who are serving their country as members of the armed forces or in the department of social relations are: Mr. Paul Beck, Mr. E. J. Bright, Mr. Leo Dalgard, Miss Florence Hall, Mr. H. I. Miller, Mr. P. G. Wible, Miss Florence Wandell, and Mr. L. I. Yedor.

Thornton's teachers are active in community life. The Red Cross, air raid jobs and ration boards all use their services. Many work overtime teaching in the evening school which gives the opportunity for continued education.

Joseph B. Stephens, BS, AM, University of Chicago, University of Illinois, MA, Principal of Class of 1949

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To Make the Wheels Turn Smoothly

Few people know all of the intricacies of the work of Thornton's office staff. Just as "all roads lead to Rome," so all school business passes through the office. Records, reports, contributions, mail, telephone calls, announcements, and the hundred and one other things which arise each day are handled swiftly and smoothly by these workers.

The records of all organization funds are kept by an office secretary with Superintendent McVey acting as trustee. All funds are audited annually.

Into the hands of these people with their other duties, which include the operation of the switchboard, the public address system, and the mimeograph, is put the task of keeping the permanent records of every student. These records concern the student's grades, his attendance record, and his citizenship rating, as well as lists of activities in which he participates and additional necessary information.

This crew merits the respect and admiration held for its efficient work.



THEY STUDY







Readin' and Ritin'

Writing, reading, speaking, dramatics, debate there is no end to the variety of things taught by Thornton's English department, the head of which is Mr. O. F. Umbaugh. This is the largest department in the school because every student is required to take at least three years of English, and the seniors usually elect to study one and sometimes two courses.

It is bewildering to try to choose a senior English class. Radio workshop, Dramatics, journalism, yearbook, debate, and creative writing are all attractive.

Dramatics, an addition this year, was started to give students knowledge, not only of acting but also of make-up, costuming, scenery, lighting, and appreciation of drama.

The radio workshop class writes radio scripts

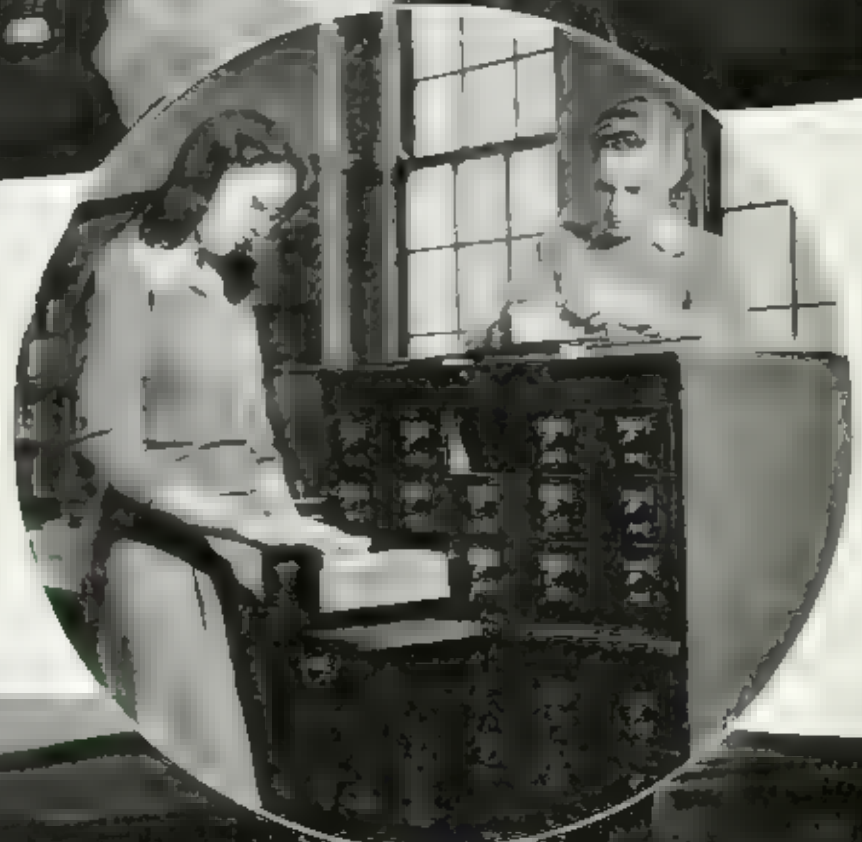
and enacts them before the microphone. This class learns correct diction and appropriate voice quality.

The creative writing class naturally does a great deal of writing, expressing ideas freely both in prose and poetry.

Clear thinking and the ability to express that thought are the goals of every debater. With these qualities the student of today becomes the leader of tomorrow. Debaters, outstanding in performance, gain membership in the National Forensic league.

The second and third years of English study deal with composition and literature, with some public speaking.

In the freshman days students are given the opportunity of wide reading from both old and



new literature. The English rental library, containing 18618 volumes of 214 titles, is for use in the English classes

Materials from other sources are available too Thornton's library of 10,000 volumes is a source to English students as well as others. Plenty of sunshine and a friendly atmosphere make the school library a pleasant place for work.

Miss Doris Halverson and Miss Mattie Gardner, the librarians, are in constant demand to help perplexed students find the needed books. Their ability and willingness make the library a usable source of information.





Once a Week

Did you know that since 1914 students have been looking forward to their THORNTONITE, a newspaper read not only by students, but also by other members of the community? The chief purpose of this official news organ of Thornton is to build good school spirit and to cement the good relations between the school and community. Additional aims are to record in news story form the major events of the school week, to give opportunity for those interested in such to write, and to provide entertainment for its readers. This year several special editions were published, namely, Defense and Christmas issues. The eight page Defense edition was an illustrated record of the part this school is taking in widespread war efforts.

In order to familiarize journalism students with the duties of every member of the staff, a rotating staff is used during the first semester. Then after students have learned which posi-

tion they can best fill, a permanent staff is appointed.

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Business, Mr. O. F. Umbaugh



Once a Year

To record in the spirit of Thornton the major events and changes that a year brings is the aim of the THORNTONITE yearbook. This record of Thornton, begun in 1914 under the leadership of Mr. O. F. Umbaugh, has been continuous year by year to the present time.

Have you ever wondered what that man with the camera and lights was doing taking pictures in classes and even in the halls? He was the photographer for the yearbook. Planning and taking pictures of representative work at Thornton is only one of the major jobs of the yearbook staff. Staff members are kept busy through the year by such duties as planning layouts, writing, editing, typing copy, and securing advertisements. Hundreds of hours are spent on that necessary, but lacking in glamour, task of checking pictures, senior lists, identifications, subscriptions, write-ups, advertisements. And thus is recorded the story of another year at Thornton.

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Because the study of languages gives insight into a nation's cultural characteristics, the present conflict has made that study more important than ever. To understand how other nations think and act, one must have a knowledge of their language.

The four foreign languages taught at Thornton are French, German, Latin, and Spanish. Miss Mildred Anderson heads the department. Since some of the most hallowed customs of our land are of foreign origin, the study of the languages of other lands helps us to understand better a number of the customs of our own country.

French is the key which opens fascinating doors to quaint customs, graceful architecture, and once placid countrysides.

German offers the student a knowledge of a substantial people who early developed great talent in medicine, mathematics, and the physical sciences.

No, 'Rome was not built in a day,' nor are the language, customs, and civilization of the Romans learned in that short a time. Only long hours of study reveal the characteristics of those people who codified laws and built empires.

'Manana' tells the story of our neighbors to the south. Realizing the increasing importance of our southern neighbors, Spanish classes at Thornton are growing. The present world crisis has brought about closer relationships between Latin and North America.





Man and His Environment

To understand present day life one must know the story of the human race from the beginning of history to the present day. As one traces life down through the ages, he finds that men have continually fought to preserve their rights and their liberty. Today we are continuing the long, hard struggle that began thousands of years ago

To understand the history of the world, to know our country better, and to practice good conduct are the purposes of the Social Science department

Through a study of civics, students learn the rights and duties of good citizens in a democracy, as well as the structure of the government. Law teaches them rules for correct conduct in social and business relations, and gives the students opportunities to practice what they know by finding the solutions to hypothetical problems similar to those by which they will be confronted when they leave school

The world with its mountains and deserts, its races of all colors, its products of torrid and frigid zones, its man made boundaries, these are the subjects for study in geography

Sociology, the science of the forms, institutions, and functions of human groups, and economics, the science that deals with the production, distribution, and consumption of wealth, complete the work of the Social Science department under the direction of Mr. J. F. Zimmerman

Mr. Clarence Stegmeir directs the work of those studying history. In order to understand present world relations and actions and to tell what may possibly be the results of the present world wide conflict, man must understand what has gone before. European history tells the story from the time of the cave man to the French Revolution; modern history, a continuation of European history, reveals the story of Europe from the time of the French Revolution to the present. The history of our own country teaches its students to appreciate the freedom and democracy which they so unconsciously enjoy. Students learn about men and women who have struggled to make this country "the promised land" and learn to appreciate the meaning of the words "of the people, by the people and for the people"





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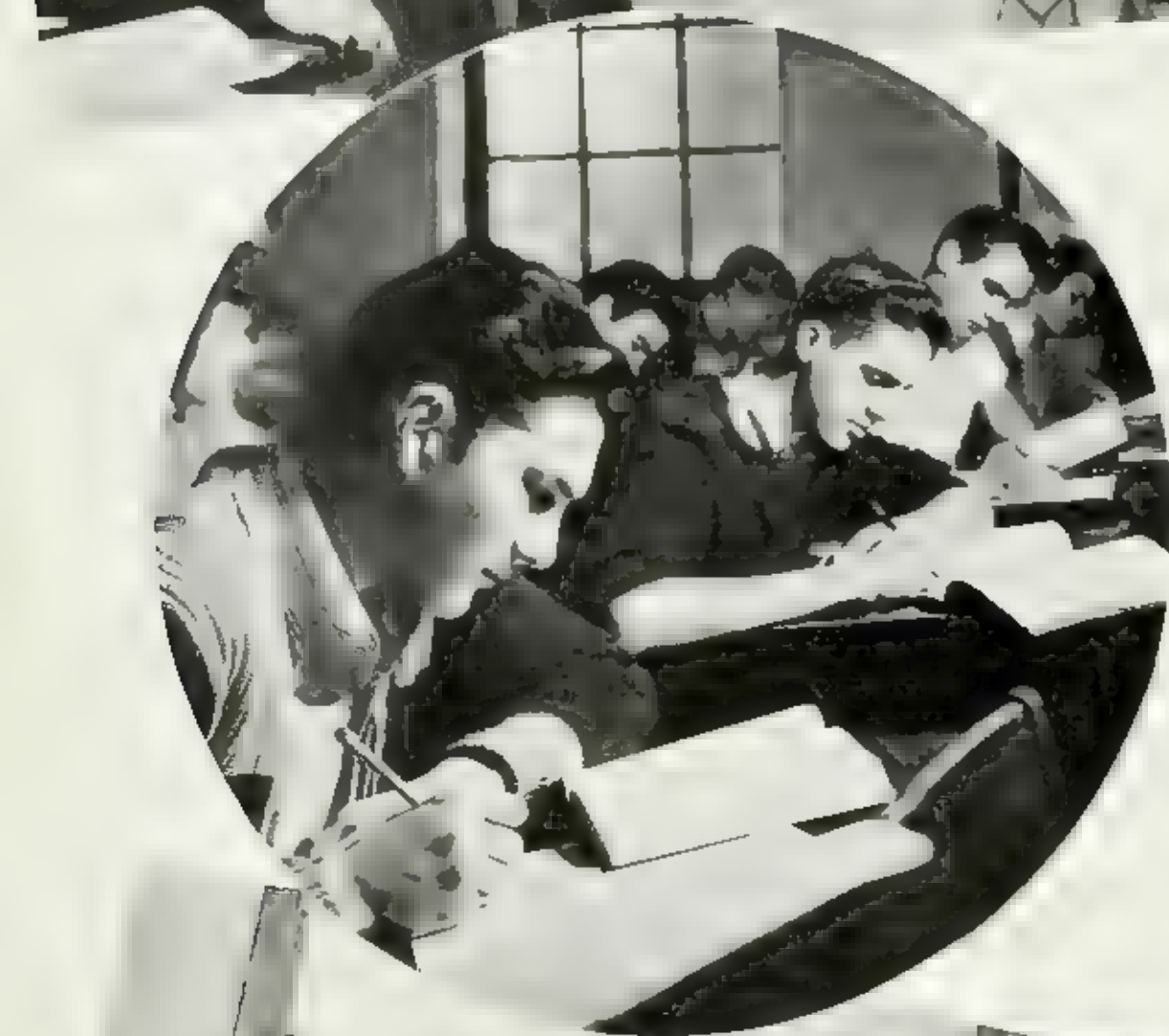
Did you ever think of all the times you use mathematics? Every time you count your change upon making a purchase, number your paper for a test, or keep score for a game you use some form of mathematics.

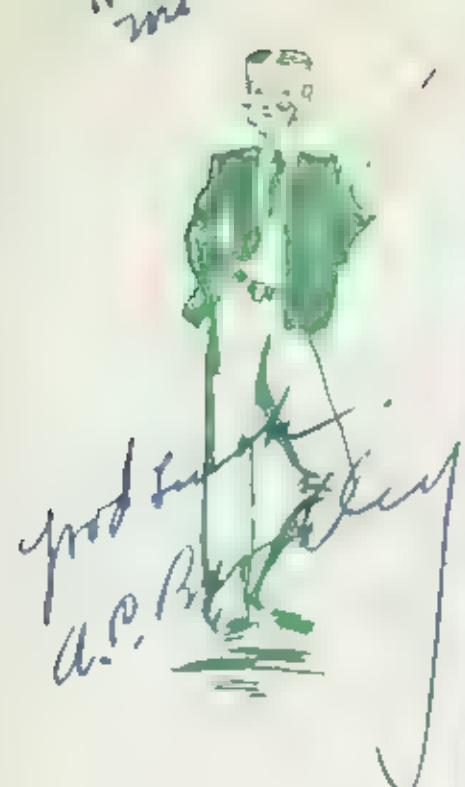
Many boys and girls who in the past have seen no use for mathematics are awakening to the fact that they have been wrong. The boys find that algebra, geometry, and trigonometry are necessary in branches of the armed service besides aeronautics. Girls today are taking technical jobs which were formerly held by men and which require advanced mathematics.

In the Thornton department, under the direction of Mr. Guy Phillips, each student is offered three and a half years of mathematics. The algebra of the first year seems to consist of many x's, y's, and z's. Plane geometry with its squares, triangles, and rectangles follows, and then those who wish can study advanced courses in algebra, solid geometry, and trigonometry.

The teachers of the Mathematics department hold regularly scheduled after school sessions for those who do not readily grasp the material presented. With such willing cooperation on the part of the teachers there is no reason for students not doing their best.

The Science department provides an excellent background for life in the scientific world of today. General science, which is a required course for all fresh





Test Tubes

men except those girls taking physiology touches in a cursory fashion on the subjects of astronomy, conservation, electricity, hygiene, mechanics, and weather

For those interested in knowing more about plants and animals, biology frequently called the science of life, is taught in four well equipped modern laboratories. Biology students learn about all kinds of living organisms, from lowly one-celled types to the gigantic Sequoia and the great whales. Much information about the human body is mastered

Test tubes filled with fluids of various colors, odd shaped bottles, and mystic formulas spell chemistry. In this department students, many of whom are looking forward to work in the field of medicine learn the composition of various substances. As the students work on a problem in class, they conduct simultaneously laboratory experiments to increase their knowledge of the subject. The study of chemistry helps the student to understand better the ever changing world in which he lives

Physics, the science of the laws and properties of matter, is where students learn the causes and effects of everyday occurrences. Heat, mechanics, magnetism and electricity light and sound are the topics for discussion

Heads of the divisions of the Science department are: general science, Mr. L. L. Schulb; biology, Mr. A. C. Brookley; chemistry, Mr. F. W. Ring; and physics, Mr. C. L. Beier





Homemakers in the Making

While walking down the second floor corridor, she sniffed delicious odors issuing from the general direction of the homemaking rooms. Upon nearing the vicinity she saw a bustling mass of white caps and aprons, scurrying from cupboard to workbench to stove.

Yes, these girls will be well fitted to be homemakers. They are having the necessary training in the study of food and nutrition, textiles and clothing, home management and household equipment to become competent, scientific homemakers.

Since the Homemaking department, under the direction of Miss Wilma V. Reed, is affiliated with the Illinois State Board of Education, it is necessary for each girl to take at least one related subject, such as physiology, general science, or biology.

Taught by the school nurse, Miss Amber Ellis, the physiology course consists of the study of personal and mental hygiene, first aid, home nursing, and child care. Individual problems worked out in their own homes give the students practical experience.



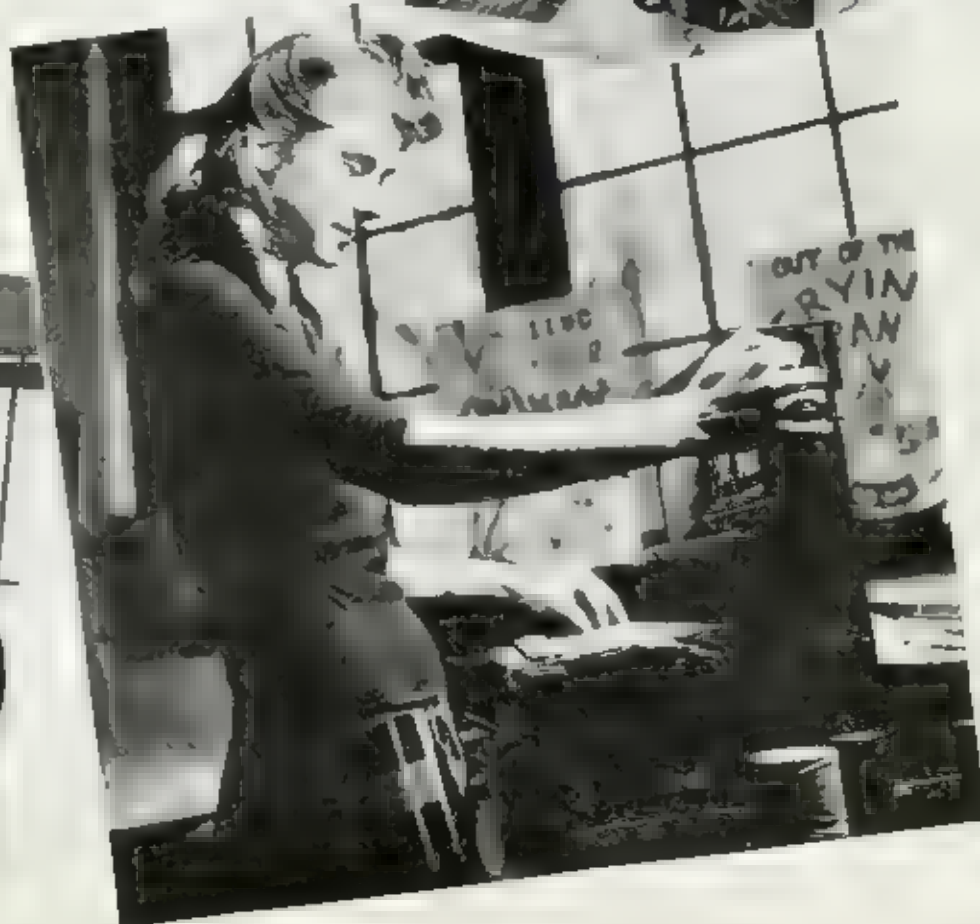


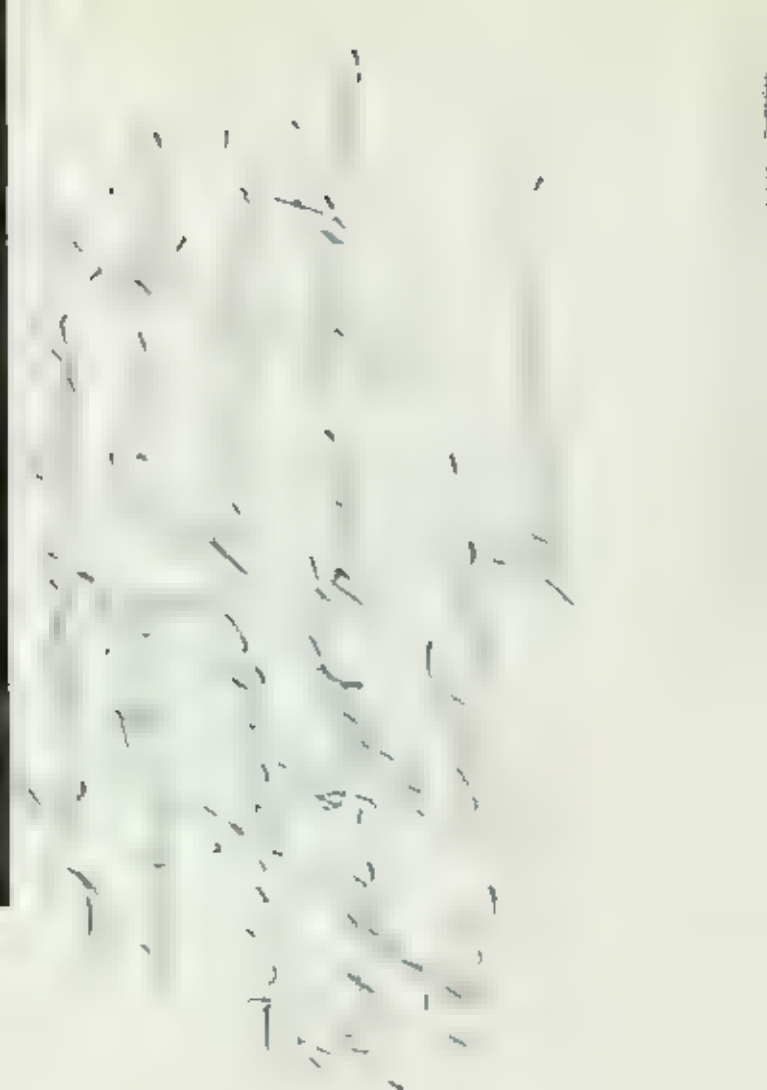
Appreciation and Expression

The Art department doesn't endeavor to make great artists of its students. They are studying so that they may be better consumers of art and may obtain that understanding and working knowledge which can be acquired only through the practical experience of using art elements. Students learn to enjoy the art expression of others, great painters, sculptors, and architects of the past and present, in this department headed by Miss Dorothea Thiel

Advanced art stresses figure study, composition, and illustration; commercial art shows advertising methods and media and crafts include pottery, weaving, leather, jewelry and metalwork, woodwork, and textiles

To teach these subjects, the Art department is well equipped with airbrush and air compressor for unusual shading, a silk screen press for quantity production of posters, a kiln which the students operate for stacking and glazing their own pieces of pottery, a potter's wheel for shaping dishes of clay, and a loom for weaving





"Take a Letter"

Thornton is supplying an important implement of war for our country; stenographers and many other workers needed in offices all over the land. The Business department is training students to fill vital jobs and to be more intelligent consumers. Now, more than ever before the demand for trained office workers is great.

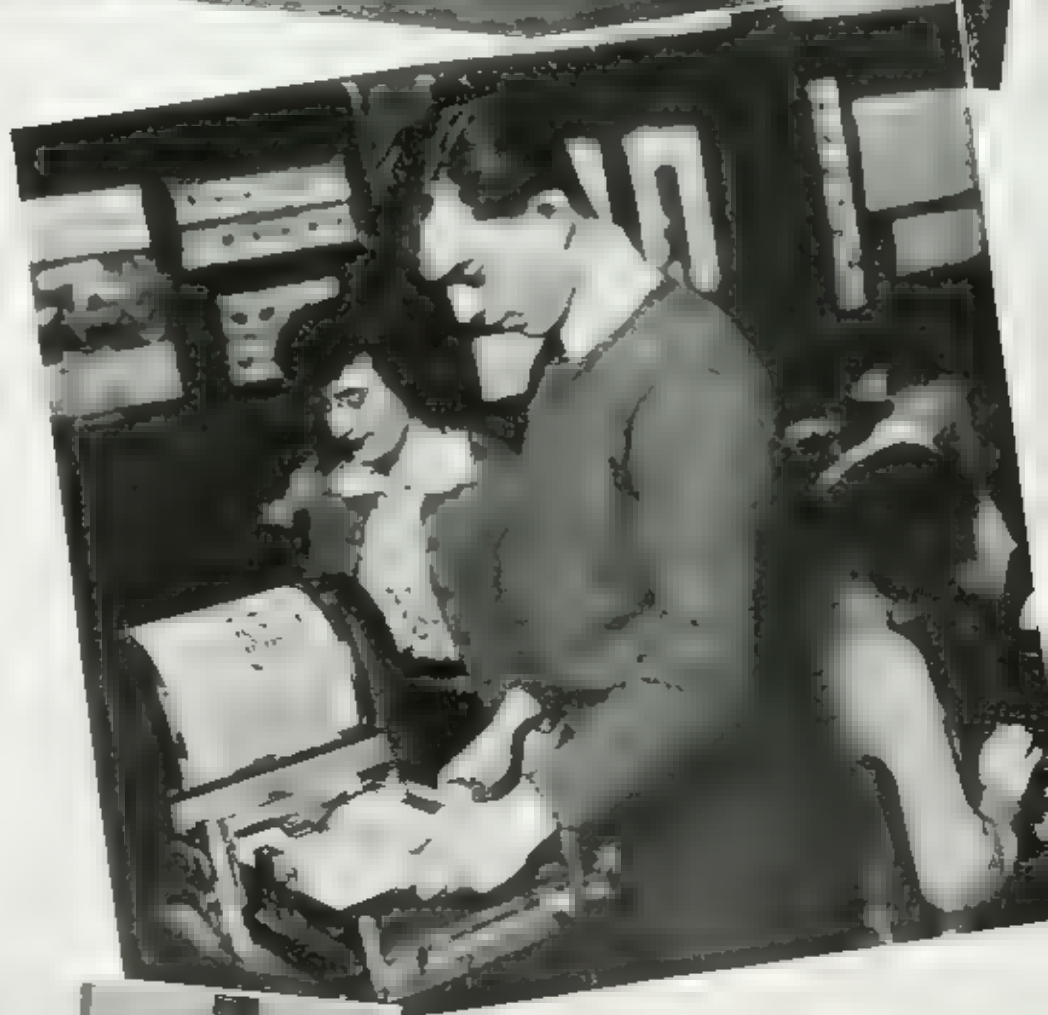
This department, under the leadership of Miss Eva L. Lieber, is conducting night classes to give those already placed in the business world an opportunity for supplementary training. Because of the efficient training offered at Thornton, employers praise the quality of the work done by the graduates of the Business department.





Business students learn to type fast and accurately and to take shorthand rapidly. But that's not all. Proficiency in the use of the adding machine, mimeograph, dictaphone, and other business machines found in modern offices is part of the prescribed course of study. Then too, related subjects, such as bookkeeping, economics, commercial law, and salesmanship are not overlooked.

At the end of four years a student who has taken a business course is equipped with those skills necessary to do office work accurately and efficiently.





Music in the Air

The Music department is proud of its outstanding library of band, orchestra, and choral music and of recordings which are used in class work.

In the music appreciation classes for freshmen are taught the fundamentals of music; an advanced class, which studies musical forms, lives of composers, and great works of music, was formed this year.

The Thornton orchestra, which includes both junior college and high school students, learns its share of symphonic music by playing it.

Thornton also has two bands; the first band has won many first ratings in state contests since it was organized in 1916. Besides studying marches and novelty numbers, Thornton's band makes use of symphonic numbers, such as the "New World Symphony." Playing and marching for the football games, the first band pleases spectators with some of its more intricate formations.

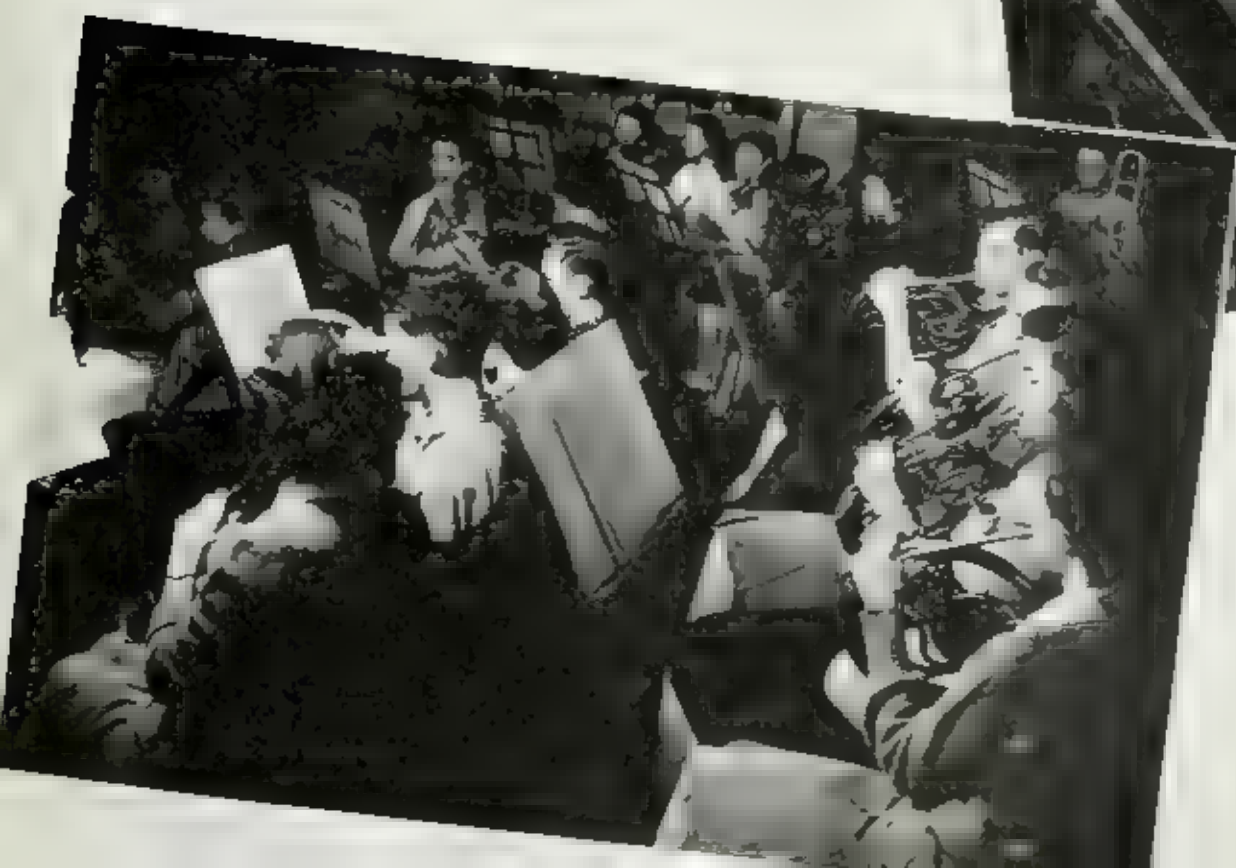




tions Not one, but three drum major-ettes and one drum major lead the band when it marches

The second band, which also appears in uniform, gains experience by playing for the basketball games

Did you know that there are four sound proof practice studios across from the band room? It is in these that the young hopefuls take their music lessons and do their practicing Upon opening the studio door a tiny crack, you're apt to hear a C scale tinkling on the piano or a high E on a violin





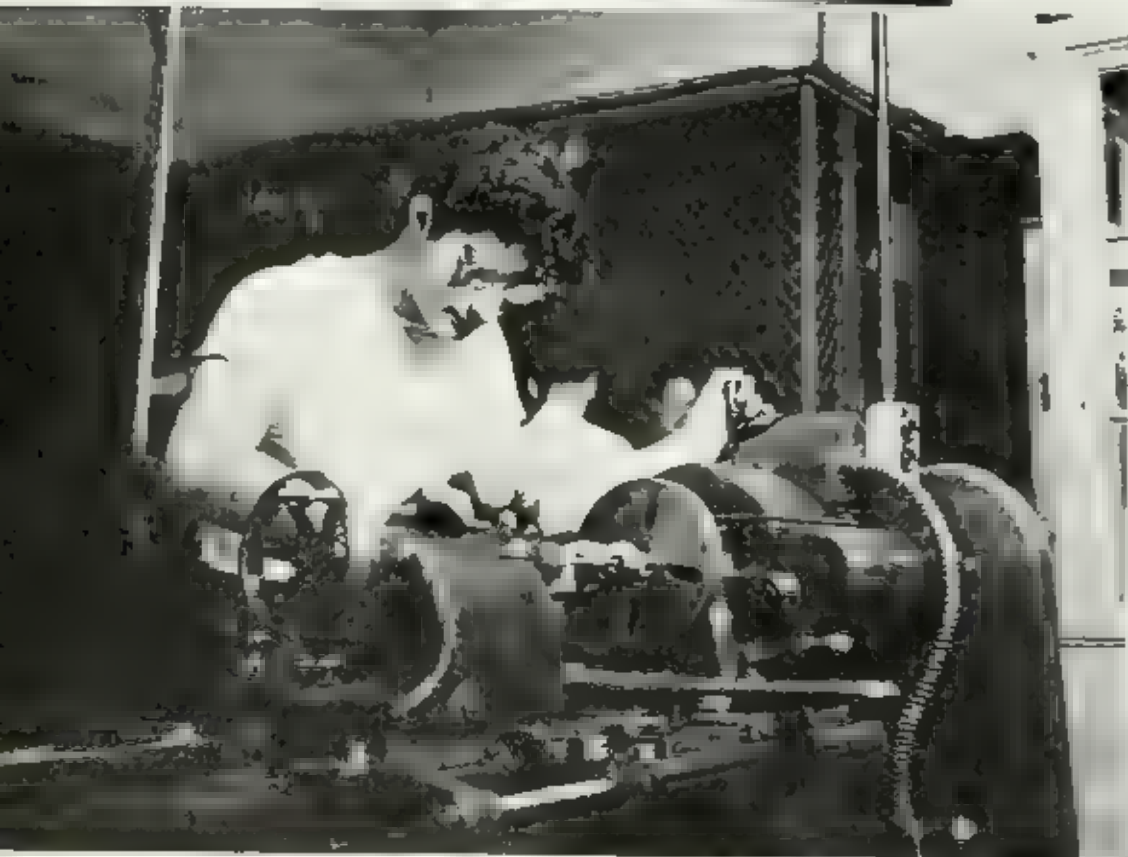
Men at

Amidst the dust and smoke of the whirling machines works the student of industrial arts or trade preparatory course. This boy, under the direction of Department Head Mr. Lawrence Britton, is being trained to help supply our great army and navy and to build the peace that follows.

In the electric shop boys are seen rewinding armatures, testing motors, and making electric projects. You will also find trade preparatory electricians installing and maintaining electrical equipment.

The auto mechanics learn the secrets of the internal combustion engines, transmission, and steering gear. Your car may be found in the shop being given a general overhauling for better performance.

Woodworking students have sacrificed their desire for end tables and other individual projects so that Thornton can fill its quota of model airplanes for United States Army and Navy training centers.





Machines

Boys bending over boards are drafting plans for industrial arts projects and machines to be built by machinists, wood workers, and electricians.

Lathe, milling machine, forge, drill press all react to the will of boys learning skills that will make them useful workers for industry, in peace, as well as in war.

In addition to the usual boys at work are seen girls, who also are learning to master the skills which will enable them to take the places in industry of men now in the armed forces. In one shop the girls are seniors and in another the workers are unemployed women preparing for shop jobs.

The machine shop runs not only each day but also each night in the week, adding to the skill and efficiency of men and women already employed in war production plants. Machine drafting, shop mathematics, and blue print reading are popular evening classes.





Physical Fitness

One of the boasts of the Girls Physical Education department headed by Miss Martha Carr, is that there is a class for everyone. All freshman girls are given thorough physical examinations and assigned to classes, according to their health needs.

The regular freshman class is introduced to several phases of physical education, including dancing and swimming, but with emphasis on stunts and games.

Girls who are slightly underweight or who have minor defects take modified physical education, which is individual sports of a not too strenuous nature. Rest classes are offered to girls who need a period of relaxation in the middle of the day.

Upperclassmen are allowed to choose their class, swimming, rhythms, or sports. Rhythms give them an opportunity to express reactions to music through dancing

and exercise.

Sports classes learn to play team games, such as basketball, volleyball, baseball. The third year sports class offers individual sports, such as, archery, ping pong, badminton, and shuffleboard. Advanced students learn diving and lifesaving. No matter how much or how little you know about swimming, there is a class for you.



is the Goal

When the United States entered the second World War, every school in America was asked by the federal government to adopt a physical training program that would properly condition students going into the armed forces. The Boys Physical Education department, headed by Mr. Jack Lipe, planned for and constructed an obstacle course similar to those in the army training camps. Special exercises prepared the students for the course.

The obstacle course itself was built to simulate conditions that might actually be encountered on the battlefield. The course consists of an eight foot wall as a beginning, four three foot body hurdles, a twelve inch hand over hand climb, cross overs, tunnels set low to the ground to crawl through, jungle climb, balancing maneuvers, five foot walls, and sprints covering 440 yards in length.

At the time of the initiation of the program only juniors and seniors were expected to take part in this training program; but as the system now stands, all boys seventeen and eighteen years old are required to spend five forty-minute periods weekly training on this course and at rope climbing, physical fitness exercises and hard body contact games.



THEY ARE







SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Tom Pontius, treasurer; Bob Jennings, secretary; Dick Brand, president; Dick M. H. second vice-president; Alice Moravsek, first vice-president.

Class

Graduation! Four years gone, four years now of memories. As seniors those students did so many pleasant things the prom, although not an new experience, was not to be forgotten the senior play, "Smilin' Through"; Flag Day when they proudly donned caps and gowns for the first time and passed on to the juniors the responsibility of carrying on the spirit of Thornton, and then Honor Day. Well represented was the class of '43 for honors in scholarship, speech, journalism, and athletics.

Due to the efforts of the senior War Stamp and Bond committee, which organized the home room sales during the year, Thornton's total averaged more than five hundred dollars per week.

The present group of seniors is facing more serious problems than some of the former graduating classes. Its members are asking themselves, "Shall I go to college now, shall I work





SENIOR SENATE
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 Bill Hines, Ronald Park, Jack Powley, David Owens, John Cary, Bob McCullough,
 Charles Stewart, Donald Wernicke

of 1943

in the business interests of my country, or shall I join the armed forces immediately?" A number of their classmates left during the year and are already serving Uncle Sam.

During this senior year difficult passages were made smooth with the aid of Mr. J. D. Mees, Class Principal, who stepped into the position left vacant by Mr. T. R. Birkhead, who had guided the class through its sophomore and junior years.

Yes, at one time these serious minded people answered when someone called, "Freshie!", but now the time has come for them to leave Thornton. They have a higher goal to attain, that of helping to guide their nation's destinies. The spirit of co-operation, sense of good sportsmanship, feeling of friendliness, characteristics of Thornton, will continue to guide them. Memory will frequently bring these grads back to you. Thornton.

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getting to know her on
time, wasn't it?
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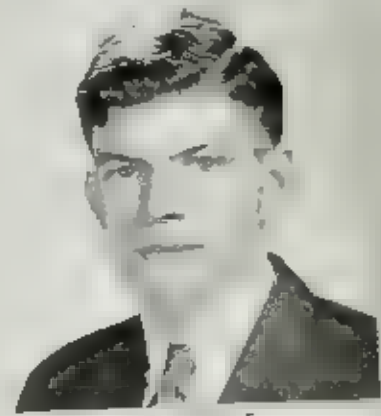
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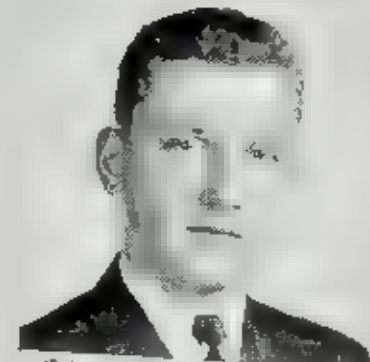
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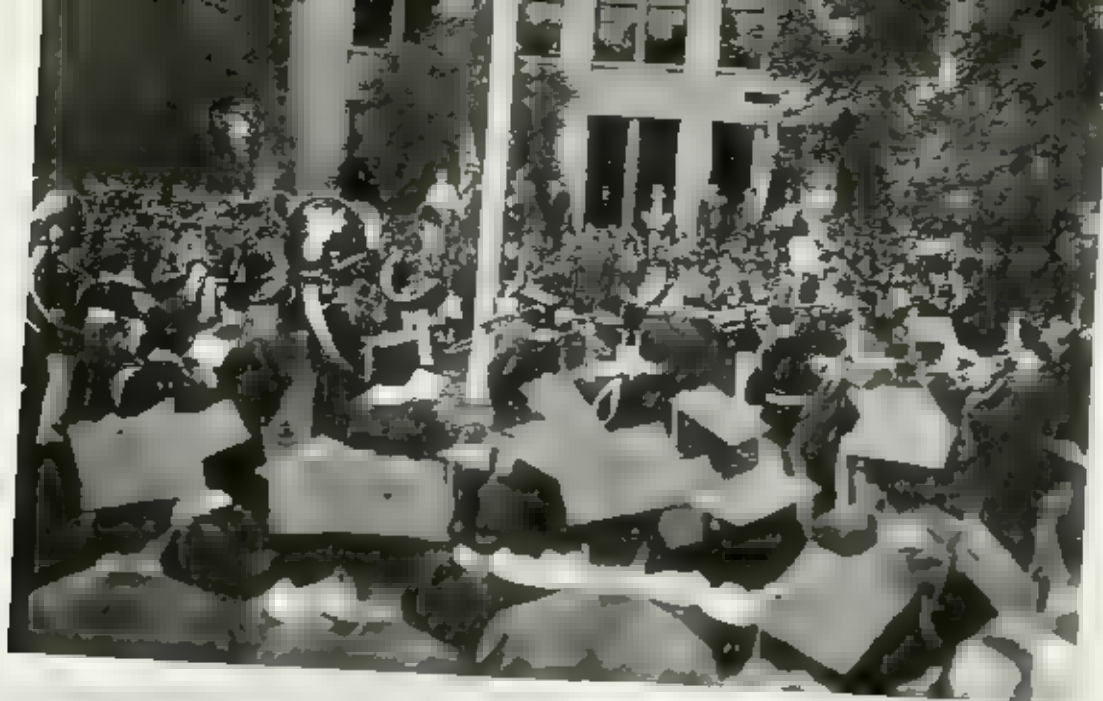


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Flag Day

This year on Flag Day a number of the Class of '43 were already in the service of Uncle Sam. In the United States Navy are: George Badovinese, Chester Bittner, Harry Dale, George Nielson, Earl Swanson, and Harold Wallace; in the Coast Guard: Donald Bitters, Joe Mezo, Harry Robertson, and Ralph Thomas, in the Army: Louis Backara, Frank Bonham, John Leonas, and Joe Tromp; in the Royal Canadian Air Force: Bob Moorhouse.





NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Row 1: Letha Mae Taylor, Eleanor Fraher, Verna Lee Wilson, Virginia Cram, Joan Bierovic, Betty Courtney Row 2: Shirley Petersen, Ruth Dalenberg, Betty Brown, Shirley Gross, Dorothy Huish, Jean Berta, Lois Gray Row 3: Mary Jo Clark, Lois Zornig, Lillian Crowder, Marie Zeilstra, Kathleen Cashion, Ruth Corlew, Margaret Falknor, Van Dyke Tiers, Doris Bruhn Row 4: Ruth Alm, Shirley Burnett, Mary Lou Vander Kloot, Kathryn Saeger, John McConnell, John McCoy, George Griffith, Holly Matz, Betty Burke, Edna Snell Row 5: William Berberian, Karl Portz, Ray Landers, Robert Hayes, Frank Bauman, Richard Einbecker, Robert Nesmith, Albert Sjoerdsma, Paul Phillips, Arthur Haines

THORNTON HONOR SOCIETY

Row 1: Shirley Petersen, Verna Lee Wilson, Betty Courtney, Eleanor Fraher, Joan Bierovic, Mary Malone, Virginia Cram, Frances Drwal, Rose Marek, Ann Stypuloski, Jane Herthel, Patricia Johnson Row 2: Letha Mae Taylor, Mary Jo Clark, Lillian Crowder, Kathryn Saeger, Shirley Burnett, Kathleen Cashion, Margaret Falknor, Dorothy Huish, Shirley Gross, Ruth Dalenberg, Phyllis Voss, Florence Vanderaa, Jane Perry, Betty Pracht Row 3: Alice Hanschmann, Nellie Watson, Jean Berta, Virginia Sliker, Marcella Otis, Wanda Pavich, Doris Turngren, Katherine Zurian, Arlene Janssen, Margaret Davis, Esther Holt, Mary Kraay, Betty Loomis Row 4: Mary Jane Middleborn, Celia Smith, Edna Snell, Betty Brown, Marie Zeilstra, Cecilia Kicmal, Ruth Alm, Ruth Corlew, Holly Matz, Van Dyke Tiers, Betty Burke, Doris Bruhn, Lois Gray, Shirley Rogers Row 5: John McCoy, John Sekerka, James Powers, Edward Nowicki, Lester Peters, Jack Wilner, George Griffith, William Becker, Edward Furmanek, Casimir Gryzebielucka, Constantine Lakawsky, Edwin Fields, William Hayes Row 6: John McConnell, William Berberian, Karl Portz, Ray Landers, John Vinicke, Robert Hayes, Howard Adler, Richard Einbecker, Robert Rossing, Joseph Simon, Robert Nesmith, Merle Dickleman, Chester Sudds, Albert Sjoerdsman, Paul Phillips





Juniors

JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS
 SEATED George Steffek, vice-president. Bobbie Bailey, secretary Gerald Ippel, vice-president
 STANDING Tom Einbecker, president; Jim Scott, treasurer

Times have changed since the Class of '44 entered Thornton in 1940 as freshmen. Those timid people have grown to be juniors. A real event was the junior and senior party, held this year in the evening, at which a number of the talented members of the class performed. Then there was that first prom. Olympia Fields Country Club was the place, and wonderful was the time.

Instead of looking forward to leading Thornton as seniors, some of the juniors are making other plans for next year's work. Those in the upper twenty-five per cent of the class may go on to junior college next fall with the twelve units completed at the end of the third year's work. Others who already took extra subjects may go to summer school to study American





JUNIOR SENATE

Row 1: Louis Mikes, George Steffek, Gerald Ippel, Tom Einbecker, Bobbie Bailey, Jim Scott, Edmund Oppenhaus. Row 2: Robert Brown, Lester Wilmer, John Cairns, Doug Smith, Norbert Giese, Bill Vandenberg, Margaret Brown. Row 3: Olive Wolf, Betty Braun, Helen Modush, Sylvia Hadhazy, Ruth Hansen, Ione Tilley, Edna Vater, Jean Fairbairn.

history, thus giving the fourteen units required for admission to the University of Illinois.

Mr. J. B. Stephens, Class Principal, is the leader of the Class of '44. His understanding aid and his jovial smile make the juniors happy in their class principal.



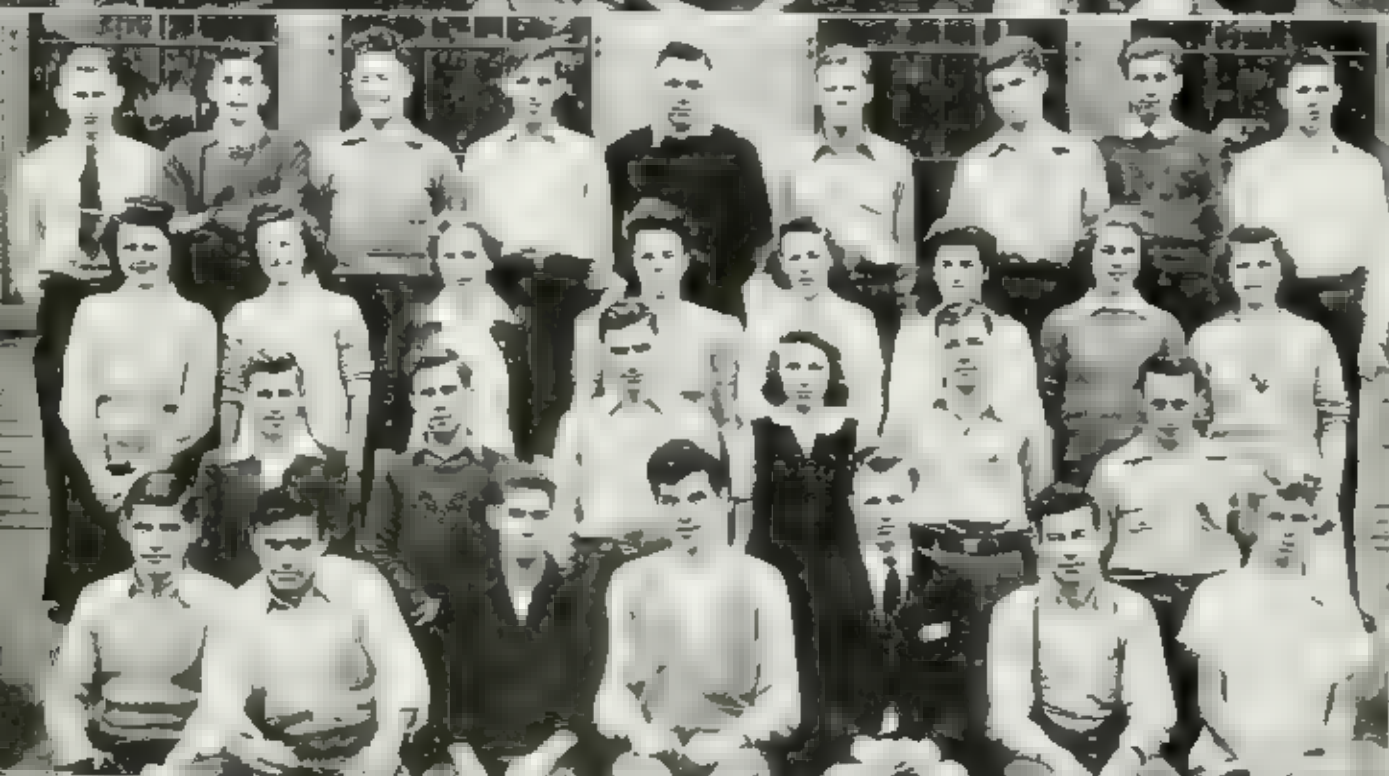
MISS BEITELSPACHER PERIOD V
Row 1: Leonard Bennett, Donald Lunn, Teddy Graver, Hendry Bennett, Lewis Brouwers, Theodore Killen, Jack Smedley. Row 2: Madge Clark, Elaine Keis, JoAnn Sachs, Frances Harnisch. Row 3: Maude Brice, Myrtle Watson, Agnes Fitzgerald, Thea Thomas, Alice Miller, Sylvia Kyrouac, Constance Wright, Marilyn Helms. Row 4: Ted Lorala, Kenneth Hanson, Bob Conrad, Alec Clark, Fred Hess, Clarence Mittle.



Juniors



MISS BEITELSPACHER PERIOD VII
Row 1 Richard Rang, George Asklef, Robert Davison, Betty Wallace, Gene Robinson, Herbert Day, Arthur Cornwall Row 2. Lelia Zappavigna, Joyce Hulett, Alice Nieskula, Jean Plum, Louella Cook, Norma Rooney, Elva Thoma Row 3 Dolores Lorena, Doris Struven, Joann Hughes, Joan Maksielan, Margaret Brandenburg, Mary Falknor, Ann Farlan, Joy Berg, Marion Dendall, Row 4 George Steffek, Norman Falet, Charles Henry, Jerry McMurtrey, Jean Brown, Ruth Janssen, Lyle Apker, Robert Harms, Ben Hughes

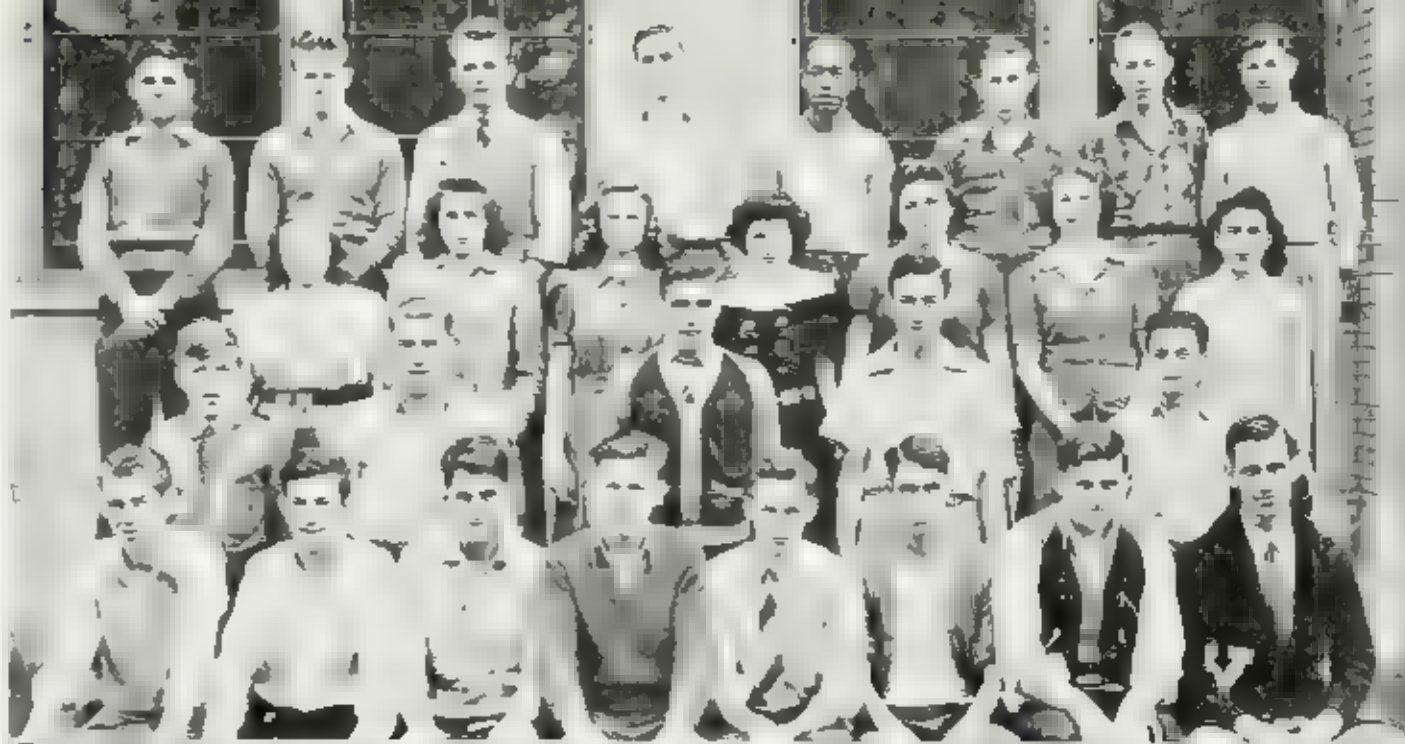


MRS BENSON PERIOD IV
Row 1 Allan Hanson, Stanley Sylvestrak, David Howard, Floyd Crov, Lew Murray, John Waligora, Alfred Ries Row 2 Clarence Letourneau, Marcus Stibolt, Ray Crotty, Faith Lloyd, Ralph Cooper, Rolland Mankus Row 3 Myra Jean Toussaint, Muriel Wordelmann, Ruth Van Dyke, Lucille Byrne, Marcie Stibolt, Mary Rogers, Laurel Caproni, Wauneta Gortel Row 4 Robert Allen, Sam Bennett, John Perrin, John Seimer, Donald Growden, Cornie Veldhuis, Peter Dunn, Lionel Stoll, Ray Geschke



MISS CONLEY PERIOD II
Row 1 Peter Boer, Marian Burke, Ted Pohophin, Louis Bortolon, Carl Fischer, Charles Reed, Richard Black Row 2 Jean Heaton, Christine Lockhead, Anna Hand, Adeline Billick, Gloria Bechley, Olga Frederick, Rebecca Graves Row 3 Thelma Fair, Helen Daw, LaRue Hamer, Ralph Pigmatello, Robert Tillstra, Johnne Lange, Frances Lange, Shirley Mason, Shirley Helms Row 4 Leonard Szymanski, Ray Aguilar, Jerome Farugia, Joseph Lotscher, Paul Kitterer, John Ross, Edward Coperton, Wesely Miller, Gerhardt Foehr

MISS CONLEY PERIOD III
 Row 1. Russell Melton, Arthur Melton, Nicky Zegarac, Lester Van Deusen, Hessel Wiersma, Jim Ducett, Richard Farsberd, Walter Johnson Row 2 Donald Ziebell, Anthony Japcon, Arthur Lasater, Robert Clettenberg, Marshall Braccio. Row 3 Della Willis, Jay Reynolds, Anna Hoekstra, Delores Kestik, Phyllis Kortum, Patricia Heil, Eleanor Basile Row 4 Raymond Hawryso, Eugene Wells, Edward Warszalek, Herbert Peterson, Marion White, Cary Hyres, Joe Heil, E Isworth Wannemaker



MISS CONLEY PERIOD V
 Row 1. Dorothy Jones, Robert Prill, Vania Murray, Billy Wentz, Charles White, Edward Thomas, Iva DeGraff, Vincent Foster, Vivian Bennett Row 2 Elene Allison, Margaret Pinyerd, Ruth Hansen, Billie Waldron, Blanche Sevenhouse Row 3 Jeanne Fadke, Mildred Heine, Virginia Boswell, Dorothea Smith, Doris Wennerdahl, Ruby Bonnell, Sophie Ber, Eileen Black, Patricia Morrison Row 4 Clifford Wyckoff, Edward Evarson, Ed McPherrin, Louis Bachard, Edward Robinson, Harold Kennon, Howard Grammitt, Jim Haskell, Gerald Ward



MISS CONLEY PERIOD VI
 Row 1. Douglas Aden, Dewey Lang, Don Wierman, Betty Kuykendall, Jeanne Lau, Milton Kramer, George Olthoff, Roy Moody Row 2: June McMurtrey, Virginia De Young, Pat Meehan, Margaret Thade, Mary Ann Jason, Betty Frebel, Beatrice Olthoff, Shirley Van Tongeren, Ruth Wilson Row 3 Ted Leonas, Betty Fisher, Betty Cupollik, Arlene Froehlich, Bette Baun, Mildred Vosburgh, Marilyn Vachon, Alice Kessing, Esther Van Kopp, Ann Lifford Row 4 Pearl Rouse, Donald J. Ken, Kenneth Jobson, Vincent L. Chen, Har L. Jacobs, Merlin Marks, Rudolph Adam, Robert Brown, Arfeda William



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Juniors



MR. FROM **PERIOD III**
 Row 1: Gerrit Jansma, Irene Swisher, Paul Eldridge, Bill O'Hara, Helen Pass, Paul Lang, John Cairns, Dorothy Buzard, James Rochfort. Row 2: Jane McTowan, Esther Lavy, Fay Walden, Leo Bethel, Therese Maguire, Jeanne Lacher, Olive Wolf, Jean Jackson, Lorraine LaFond. Row 3: Barbara Bayer, Anna Goesel, Norma Ehman, Ann Manahl, Joan Fairbairn, Diane Denis, Mary Ross, Bobbie Barley, Doris Anderson. Row 4: Henry Pociask, Bill Lafferty, Norbert Giese, Richard Williams, Nelson Tromp, Haskell Laramie, Mickey Hawthorn, Jim Vondracek, Edmund Opphus.



MISS HOLTON **PERIOD IV**
 Row 1: Marshall Butchart, Joe Velasquez, Vernon Kaiser, James DeMayo, George Ragis, Melvin Hadhazy, Kenneth Niemann, John Hoeksema, Edmund Zumbahlen. Row 2: Jean Schreiber, Catherine Young, Dave Denham, Elva Effenberger, Joy Barnard. Row 3: Hugh R. Emery, Frank Fioretta, Edward Mikolaucsyks, Albert Stahnke, Bob Murphy, Paul Young, Kenneth Luxton, Arnold Medron. Row 4: Bob Weber, Richard Baud, Walter Rohrbach, Norman Kutscher.



MISS HOLTON **PERIOD VIII**
 Row 1: Ann Crooks, Mary Michalski, Richard Heath, LeVerne Lentz, Jean Hagins. Row 2: Sarah Campana, Alyce Sparks, Mary VanKaneagan, Josephine Carlton, Loretta Biernat, Mary McBride. Row 3: Earl Schultz, Bill Norman, Jack Stevenson, Jack Larson, Don Caperton.

MISS INGRAHAM PERIOD II

Row 1: Gerald Isaacson, Earl Schulze, Norbert Pycz, Tom Einbecker, Willis Jones, Jack Sweet, George Dennis. Row 2: Edna Vater, Paula Adler, Betty Anderson, Marion Tibus. Row 3: Martha Stavron, Ellen Myrberg, Lene Lillev, Virginia Zoller, Betty Ahlson, Doris Aldridge, Florence Peterson. Row 4: Carl Geffert, Bruce Harlan, Emily Butler, Jean VanBuren, Janet Cron, Joy Mullender, Raymond Sons, Bill Van der burg



MISS KEATING PERIOD VII

Row 1: Thomas LaRue, Edward Lehmann, Earl Budlove, Tom Zapchenk, Wesley Stokes, James VanEs. Row 2: Norman Spindler, Paul LaPoche, Betty Mercanucs, Janice Boerner, Dorothy VanDeursen, Eugene Harris, Henry Lach. Row 3: Margaret Young, Vivian Cressy, Norma Baumgartner, Phyllis Fioretti, Shirley Genens, Nellie Martin



MISS MOLER PERIOD II

Row 1: Margaret Taylor, Margaret Hoekstra, Lucille Zmuda, Arthur Severson, Harold Shymkus, Raymond Cotton, Rosemary Whitney, Dorothy Chulierk, Virginia Roberts. Row 2: Clarice Needles, Richard Priddy, Robert Blodget, Madele Saxsma, Harold Wolf, John Witt, Berniece McCracken. Row 3: Fverdean Murray, Ruth Turek, Judith Meder, Helen Anderson, Lucille Gibbs, Betty Bergstrom, Lorraine Calo. Row 4: Raymond Nelson, Calvin Janus, Alfred Grossenbacher, Joe Barr, Jim Potter



Juniors



MISS SEXAUER PERIOD I
Row 1: Charles Jones, Florian Farmanek, Jasper Oling, Lorraine Kollmann, Oliver Henry, Ronald Marsh, John Armstrong, Bill Saavedra. Row 2: Betty Brunner, Jean Stypuloski, Mary Thorsen, Mildred Byrne, Nelda Heffren, Ruth Stuart, Jeanne Sundeen, Joan Frintz, Carol Bielefeldt, Barbara Anderson. Row 3: Jane Rietveld, Gloria Treftz, Marion Watson, Paula Van Gorder, Ruby Ahrens, Mary Hobbs, Patricia Dickman, Catherine Olson, Julia Kurysh, Virginia Bernard. Row 4: Tom Puhmann, Harry Estes, Clyde Leeson, Doug Stewart, Al Janz, Jerome Zimny, Donald Boyer, Gerald Ippe.



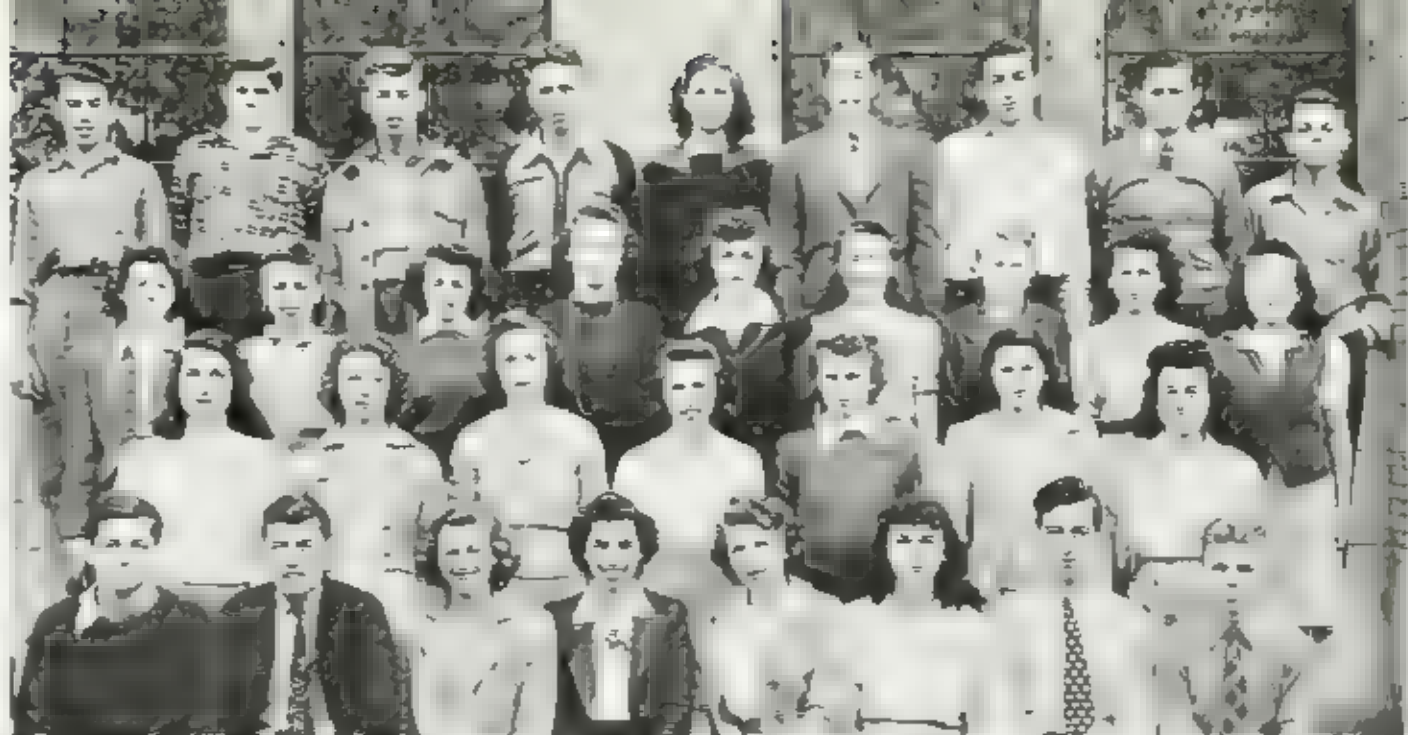
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MISS SEXAUER PERIOD III
Row 1: Robert Berkley, Robert Shinker, Bill Reifschneider, Louis Markes, Lee Sample, Robert Kruse, Jack Torpy, Ralph Early. Row 2: Lorrain Steele, Dorothy Robinson, Nanon Sheldrake, James Duffy, Harry Coffin, Shurley Alford, Mildred Pawlowski. Row 3: Evelyn McNabb, Lois Haase, Milfred Reeves, Alice DeYoung, Anita Janes, Betty Johnston, Dorothy Heaton, Judith Anderson, Virgene Davis. Row 4: Bill Payne, Robert Ashmore, Robert Mikes, Bob Kirmse, Aloysius Majszak, Robert VanDerGriend, Donald Bielefeldt, Wm. Gunn, Robert Zmuda, Joseph Sledziewski.

MISS SIXAUFER PERIOD VII

Row 1: Arthur Wagner, Tom Price, Elaine Cawby, Shirley Carlew, Dorothy Young, Sylvia Hadhazy, Glenn Puhde, Harold Pals. Row 2: Ruth Brock, Dorothy Geeding, Lois Alm, Mariel Stahnke, Shirley Holleman, Anne Limer, Harry Maadush. Row 3: Jean Curry, Anne Ravesloot, Mary Lue Wilson, Lois S., Betty Rae Mulboer, Ruth Kaur, Alice Spierling, Geraldine Adams, Mable Sheahan. Row 4: Stanley Leand, Harry Keeling, Harry Dykstra, Art VanDerAa, Violet Maasen, Ronald Koch, Grace Gerdes, Casimir Grzesik, Robert Frazer.



MISS SMITH PERIOD I

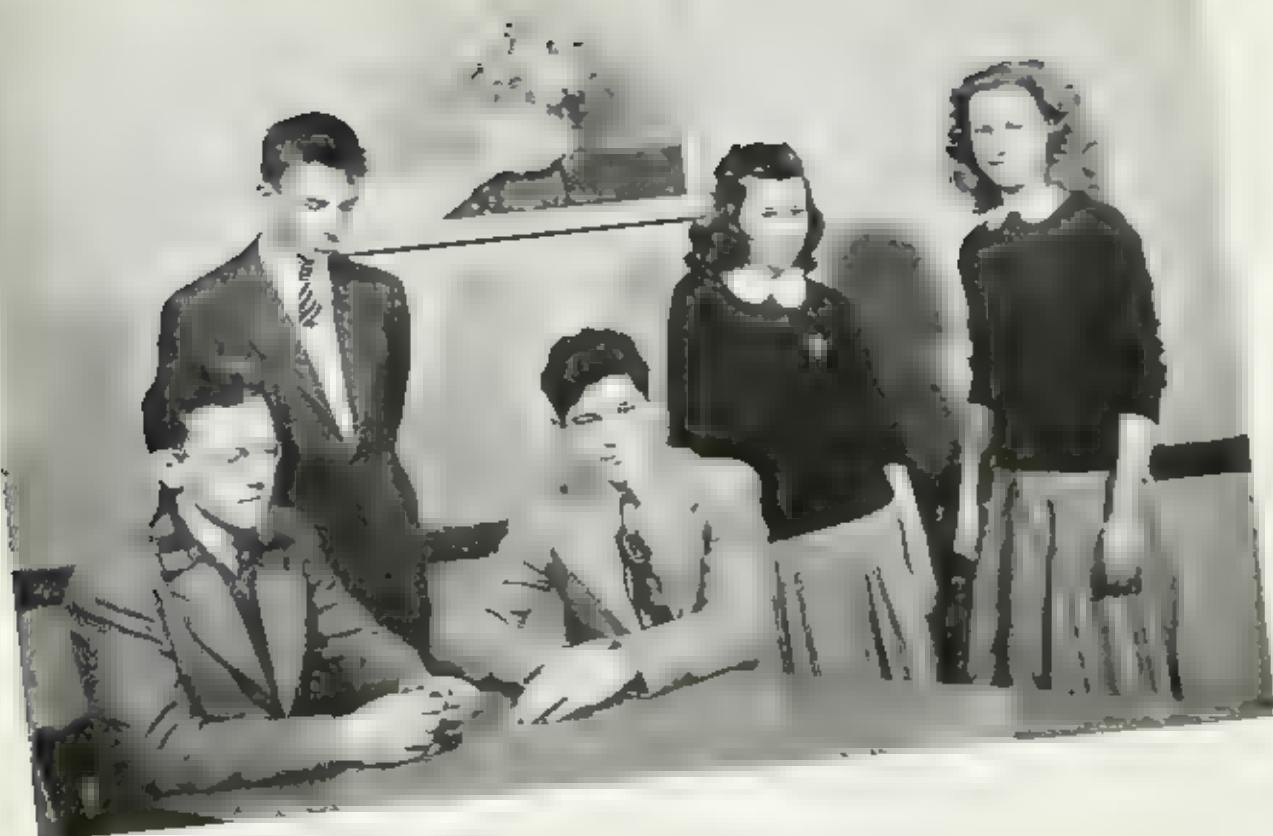
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MISS STAUFFER PERIOD VI

Row 1: Thomas Arendt, Ed Bailia, Paul Field, Bob Stracke, Daniel Deadrice, Charles Charlton, Jim Scott. Row 2: Hattie Taylor, Swaney Norden, Shirley Werner, Gladys Luehrs, Anita Dege, Lillian Howard, Evelyn Borman, Mary Daley, Gloria Van Dyke. Row 3: Gwendolyn Lewis, Lorraine Mackey, Mildred Navarre, N. B. Tromp, Mary Reiss, Bernice Mackey, Mariel Clark, Irene Kornafel, Rosemarie Christie. Row 4: Eileen Braselton, Betty Ott, Esther Podgorny, Eleanor Volz, Frances W., Augustine Garofalo, Mary Butcher, Shirley Nagell, June Elashik, Shirley Cope.





Sophomores

SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS

SEATED. Frank Mansheld, first vice-president, Robert Benson president
STANDING Arthur Brookley, treasurer, Joan Lipe, secretary Marjorie Hellstrom
second vice president

No upperclassmen can get ahead of us sophomores," so this second year class decided. This class instituted the study of the "T" book in home rooms because its members realized the importance of the information contained therein. They studied carefully in order to pass a series of tests prepared by a faculty committee.

In learning parliamentary law, the material from the text, "Main Motion" by Slaker, was presented, not by homeroom teachers, but by the class Senators, or students designated by the Senate. Advantageous use of the knowledge gained made the class meetings more beneficial

because time was not squandered on matters of minor importance.

The studious sophs weren't always studying, however. They had their annual party of course and also took part in athletic and speech activities.

The direction of this Class of '45 falls to Mr. J. F. Zimmerman, who took charge of the class this year after Dr. C. R. Maddox had guided it through the freshmen days. Mr. Zimmerman will continue to advise this class in all problems relating to successful progression through Thornton.

SOPHOMORE SENATE

Row 1: Taelma Johnson, Arthur Brookley, Joann Lipe, Robert Benson, Marjorie Hellstrom, Frank Mansheld, Jean Murdock. Row 2: Doug Smith, Gergette Alexander, Jean Voss, Rhoda Tatgenhurst, Bettye Long, Dolores Prentiss, Alma Gordon, Barbara Drefnall, Jeanne Kunze. Row 3: Lyn Rudolph, Bill Mason, Lloyd Bettenhausen, Richard Cochran, Alfred McIlquham, Paul De Graff, George Woodrich, Charles Strawbridge, Joe Pocz, Don Kelly.



MISS BEITELSPACHER PERIOD I
 Row 1: Victor Nolan, Jim Henderson
 James Larson, Dan VerMeulen, Walter
 Verhoven, Bill Vanier, Billy Gallert
 Louis LaPalls, William Simpson Row
 2: James Richmond, Nick Juntsev, Kent
 Wilkinson, Sidney Zeidstra, Dick Sulli-
 van, James Brozek, William McBan
 Leopold Wrobel, Gerald Bradely Row
 3: Pat Lawless, Anna Krogh, Betty Pe-
 kins, Betty Smith, Mary Wagner, Beck
 Beck, Patsy Newell, Arlinga Ferkar
 Mary Kressek, Eileen VanBuskirk Row
 4: Charles Watts, Edward Lucek, Mil-
 fred Bettendhausen, David Huston, Ralph
 Kras, Charles Krueger, Anthony Speldi,
 Gerald Larson, Doug Smith, Walte
 Berg, Lindy Willis



MRS BENSON PERIOD VI
 Row 1: Lorraine Frezza, Virginia Keys
 Joseph Moore, Bill Kollowork, Edwin
 Salter, Peter Herman, Harold Peters
 Doris Gay, Lucille Le Furno. Row 2:
 Ann Leppert, Margie Brown, Marilyn
 Larsen, Harriett Moore, Eleanor Salow
 Marjorie Hellstrom, Ruth La Rae, Carol
 VanderKloot, Barbara Drefhall, Betty
 Long. Row 3: Lois Perkins, Rosalie
 LaRue, Marilyn Drefhall, Mary Ing-
 wersen, Laurel Rae Barnett, Alma Gor-
 don, Annabeth Ridder, Mary Ripplinger,
 Josephine Zega, Betty Ziemann. Row 4:
 Roger Skerry, Paul Pomeroy, Kenneth
 Van Deursen, Richard Knapp, Charles
 Conant, Charles Richmond, George Pat-
 terson, Klaus Herkert, William Swansey



MISS CHILDS PERIOD IV
 Row 1: William Higgins, Paul Blake-
 more, Harry Fisher, Earl Ganser, Edgar
 Grover, Edward DeVos, Jack Trester,
 James Baker Row 2: Tom Troller
 Betty Sinnick, Faith Potrafke, Shirley
 Williamson, Carol Youngblood, Bonnie
 Rae Betsinger, Doris Nelson, Janice
 Jacobs, Lois Nofsger, Bob Hammer
 Row 3: Ruby Updike, Geraldine
 Schwass, Rhoda Tatgenhorst, Lorraine
 VanDam, Beverly Janus, Jeanette Cobb,
 Mary Raup, Barbara Cordt, Dorothy
 Lindstrom, Mildred Brockman Row 4:
 Tom Rubendunst, Dick Campbell, Len
 Acher, George Bachmann, John Ander-
 son, Bud Sachs, Norman Brown, James
 McHenry, Bill Brostrom



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MISS CHILD'S PERIOD VIII

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MISS CRUIKSHANK PERIOD III

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MISS CRILES PERIOD A

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Row 1. Ronald Venesac, Mathew F
r. () Anne Bernhausen, W
Fried. Dan W. Dan K
Fried. Echtecht, Row M
Ant. Jett. Gend. J. B. Marg
Mant. J. Anne Bernhausen, Jeanne M
Ned. Heen. Artyl. Row
Prabula, Lucie Schilling, Marg
Vogel. J. L. Frank. Lucie
bern, Marilyn Porter, Esther B.
Ardis Schwank, Elaine Fulsang. Row
4. Gene Chlebda, Walter Marek, J
Van Baren, Sam Loust, Donald W
Jim G. Schild

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MISS HOLTON PERIOD II
 Row 1: Anton Sterker, Anthony Nowicki, Frederick Waldschmidt, Martha Kester, Betty Jablonski, Georgette Alexander, Robert Allen, Dave Temple, Ralph Silberman. Row 2: Mary Nelson, Jean Voss, F. Zimmerman, Carl Lenz, Dorothy Harms, Carolyn Slack, Loring Stevenson, Milan Popovich, Ver Jean Wolf, Evelyn Haslet. Row 3: Evelyn Weis, Suzanne Billington, Nancy Sheehan, Barbara Smuts, Mary Whitford, Barbara Bielfeldt, Barbara Willows, Irene Kavis, Evelyn Posthumus, Gertrude Barehead. Row 4: Gerhardt Reichel, Theodore Herbeck, Herman Hoekstra, Lyman Baldrige, Ray Mott, Martin Sdetz, Robert Anderson, John Klumala, Herman George.



MISS INGRAHAM PERIOD I
 Row 1: Mary Shonts, Mary Edwards, Julius Chick, Sam Sutton, Paul Rosenberg, Leonard Suk, Harriet DeYoung, Mildred Hannagan. Row 2: Anne Piotrowski, Norman Packingham, Courtney Mifflin, Morris Albrecht, Jimmy Harrison, James Blan, Robert Baker, Norma Weaver. Row 3: Dorothy Gibbs, Effie Long, Lois Taylor, Dolores Ward, Marian Kanahel, Shirley Wurtlin, Hazel Conrad, Betty Maverchick. Row 4: Floyd Klepper, Elmer Peach, George Pappas, Harry Zielenga, James Smith, Gaston Yates, Jim Bitchell, Alex Grubowski, Robert Haase.



MISS INGRAHAM PERIOD V
 Row 1: George Turnley, Stanley Tompkins, Richard Straton, Harriet Weaver, Patricia Fagette, Norman Pattenauke, Ed Kunza, Herman Bottoms. Row 2: Shirley Cogswell, Dolores Neath, Betty Boyd, Evelyn Gallagher, Katherine Hansel, Evelyn Mark, Ruth Darrance. Row 3: Carmella Dileo, Mary Eggers, Thelma Lambert, Mary Podgoeski, Anice Bruggeman, Edna Murray, Rose Vanters, June Miller, Palma Sorenson. Row 4: Lawrence Green, Norman Piper, Leo Duncan, Joseph VanDerHandel, William Dohl, Joe Cornwall, Maurice Stegall, Joe Moheske.

MISS KEATING PERIOD II
 Row 1 Rose White, Charlotte Kile
 Mary Ann Newell, Wilmer Bonse
 Roland Nelson, Mildred Haynes, Dawn
 Packard, Evelyn Karpen Row 2 Betty
 Meyer, Frederick Mifflin, Richard Brit-
 ton, Harry Haddix, Betty Wells Row
 3 Louise Lintner, Betty Jeanne Lund
 Doris Reed, Helen Jurate, Marguerite
 Groeneveld, Irene Smothers, LaVonne
 Helms, Stella Ladnick Row 4 Robert
 Schilling, Chris Valpendesta Louis Ber-
 son, Charles Kindred Jr Robert Forrest
 Walter Tarala, Paul Baker, Joseph Brac-
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MR. LOWDEN PERIOD IV
 Row 1 Ray Schlinger, William J
 Garry, Alfreed McIlquham, Jack Seeley
 June Willis, Elizabeth Cash, Frederick
 Nietfeldt, Howard Thompson, Dan
 Kelly Row 2 Mary Thode Shirley
 Finkbeiner, Dorothy Fredman, Dolores
 Wilck, Margaret King, Pauline Lindley
 Alepthea Stokes, Ruth Lloyd, Virginia
 Jacobs, Genevieve Garofalo Row 3
 Isabel Fox, Dorothy Ely, Clara Cele-
 backa, Mary Meilner, Shirley Rice, Doro-
 thy Conrad, Mary Cash, Johanna Lotz,
 Betty Hayes, Sylvia Winters Row 4
 Donald Trenning, Montie C. Kennedy
 Norman Helms, Charles Beseman, Mel-
 van Benson, Sidney Devouna, Lee Jacob-
 son, Kenneth Livtkin, Roland Mason,
 Andy Barosh



MR. LOWDEN PERIOD VII
 Row 1 Bernard Arendt, Allen Golding
 Don Hruby, Helen Riedel, Ettarose
 Winter, Ann Wrobel, Harry Vinke
 Claude Dalenberg, Jack Karstens, Row
 2 Ann Golden Juanita Langenderfer
 Mildred Koster, Marilyn Meade, Dora
 Lee Phillips, Ruth Cohrs, Erica Nase-
 bandt, Row 3 Eleanor King, Mary Jo
 Short, Marion Renick, Betty Teas Shir-
 ley Budwash, Frances Basile, Helen Ben-
 son, Joan Yatsak, Lillian Remkus,
 Marion Gettler, Row 4 Francis Zude-
 man, James Haines, Jack Fleener, Robert
 Benson, Willis Wallace, Edward Jilbert
 Richard Rasmussen, John Garczynski
 Henry Pierce, Donald Ross



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MR. LOWDEN PERIOD VIII
 Row 1 Edward Michaelson, Charles Schmidt, Francis Squibb, Eleanor Kilmer, Wanda Ethridge, Albert Stevenson, Alan Boardman, George Woodrich
 Row 2 Shirley Dahlmann, Rosale Schub, Lela Feris, Pearl Santefort, Mary Obernesser, Marjorie Wilkes, Row 3 Marie White, Phyllis Patterson, Katherine Keene, Mae Morcka, Audrey Scholten, Thelma Johnson, Irene Devert, Janet Brand
 Row 4 August Basile, Bernard Keed, Gilbert Manilton, William Benson, Merle Floerke, Reinhart Weimer, Hart Riley, Richard Wiseman, Richard Aulozzi



MISS MOIER PERIOD I
 Row 1 Stanley Lach, Donald Hill, William Ofckv, Charles Balclun, Alma Krumrie, Lawrence Lottino, Eugene Kellogg, Quentin Walker, Donald Krueger
 Row 2 Hazel Wagner, Carol Rutz, Virginia Schneider, Kathryn Roorda, Hazel Wilhams, Shirley Meeder, Josephine Kwans, Mary Lou Piper, Dorothy Jacks, Joyce Moore, Barbara Blake
 Row 3 Myrtle Buck, Virginia Bruggeman, Margaret Cade, Ruth Smith, Martha Ellis, Eleanor Deveneau, Irene Fluers, Mary Conner, MaryAnn Koppol, Dolores Niekula
 Row 4 Herman Brown, John Kalinowski, Roy Herzog, Charles Labov, Jim Keenan, Thomas Velasquez, Thomas Mansfield, Robert Blank, Billie Stanheld, Robert Benson



MISS MOIER PERIOD VI
 Row 1. Donald Deruntz, Ray Borst, Frank Lottino, Bonniejean Kentish, Joy Reasor, Shirley Worley, Don Walton, James Wilson, Gilbert Olson
 Row 2 Jewel Carlton, Nancy Cistaro, Theodora Hurnes, Avanel Keys, Eileen Glens, Arlene Newland, Seme Harris, LaVerne Chmielewski, Helen Marek
 Row 3 Bernice Glover, Joan Beenes, Jeanne Kunze, Alice Peterson, Sally Cadenhead, Ruth Johnson, Shirley Russell, Genevieve Sanek, Dorothy Vick, Dorothy Thomas
 Row 4 Cecil Summers, Leonard Wascher, Edward Lau, Paul Caliban, Jack Lindsy, Mahlon Batlev, Bernie Wail, Richard Ziebell, Richard Seidel

MISS MOLER PERIOD VII

Row 1. George Minard, Raymond Iaskowiak, Harry McKee, Leslie Hiller, Bill Wilde, Norman Cron, Richard Baumgartner, Stanley Kempa, Charles Bender. Row 2. Jean Murdock, Mary Guthrie, Alice Borden, Lorraine Nowak, Eugene Paulsen, Lois Martin, Marie Strassenberg, Adeline Nowak, Helen Dawe, Elaine Hock. Row 3. Charles Malde, Imogene Nash, Kathleen Hunter, Clara Majeske, Pat Murphy, Janet Schnering, Betty Ann Gates, Jacqueline Zumbahlen, Lois Schoenwald, Myrtle Gibson, William Anker. Row 4. Clifford Navarre, Lyn Rudolph, Hugh Hodgson, Richard Spe, Carl Nargis, Vaughn Ludlam, David Goodwin, Warren Tjader, Lottie Pfeifer.



MR OHLERT PERIOD III

Row 1. Francis Rybik, Peter Kotoff, John Grant, Robert Chapman, Paul De Graff, Lowell Ravesloot, Elliott Taradash, Howard Shipe, Glenn Engelhardt. Row 2. Shirley Murdock, Alice Sullens, Dolores Prentiss, June Lotz, Eleanor Pekarek, Walter Ladwig, Marshall Baranowski, Noreen Poulter, Martha Roush, Mary Santich. Row 3. James Homan, Charles Richards, Jerry Toepfer, Milton Dalson, Wayne Klenstein, Bob Hauter, William Fork, Thomas Cantwell, Melvin Lucas, Paul Jacob. Row 4. Leroy Swingler, Leslie Ippel, Louis Davidson, Richard Wawrzyniak, Robert Baumann, John Tourtellotte, Albert Thernau, Charles Pokorny, Charles Applegate, A. G. McCulloagh.



MR OHLERT PERIOD VI

Row 1. Edwin Nelson, Norman Heine, Billy Metz, Robert Whitelaw, Arthur Mueller, George Abels, Harvey Park, Frank Wojciechowski. Row 2. Harlan Murray, Marilyn Kort, Vashilena Roseman, Beverly Grenier, Bill Morgan, Theresa Bolhvis, Katherine Willis, Lois Kilkey, James McNeela. Row 3. Lois Waaso, Shirley Mason, Evelyn Lindley, Doris Garrett, Gladys Brockly, Shirley Byrhaug, Wilma Kliefoth, Violet Paris, Marjorie Siekman. Row 4. Tommy Riddle, Andrew McMullen, Edmund Grant, Thomas Siekman, Walter Carlson, Robert Kegeheim, Glenn Blomquist, George Wells, Joe Pyritz, Dominic Druigliano.



Freshmen



Where is 113? This isn't my class! Where is the stairway? There goes the bell. Now what?

Thus went the freshman's first frantic weeks at Thornton. However, those freshies soon became adjusted to their new surroundings and became an integral part of them.

Brain children were the freshmen of this season, for they placed themselves first on Thornton's honor roll. The fourteen with all "A" records are: George Backus, Melvin Beagle, Betsy Becker, James Bethel, George Caskey, George Clark, Marcia Owens, Marilyn Pfeifer, Robert Salter, Doris Senesac, Junetta Skye, Annetta Smith, Charles Stegmeir, and Beatrice Turek.

So that the freshmen may have a chance to

get acquainted with their classmates before they elect officers, the class election is not held until late in the school year. As a result, the pictures of those officers could not be included in the current publication. The officers chosen this year were: president, Campbell McConnell, first vice president, James Bethel, second vice president, Richard Jaeschke; secretary, Lorraine Van Dam; and treasurer, Philip Hayes.

Dr. C. R. Maddox, who starts all freshmen on the road through Thornton, is the understanding and capable adviser to the "greenies."

What's that? A sigh of relief? Those freshmen who have already registered for next year look confidently forward to that day early in September when they can be the ones to direct bewildered newcomers to their destinations.



MISS BEITELSPACHER PERIOD IV
Row 1: Don Leturno, Kenneth Fulton, James Rossing, Mary Broderick, Eunice Taylor, Gwen Gray, Walter Fischen, Billy Bills, Leonard Hawrysid, Stanley Barwick. Row 2: Joanne Lahti, Milfred Mossel, Donna Spina, Leona Madsen, Marilyn Pfeifer, Mary Ghusac, Jeanne Blakemore, Arlyne Peiguss. Row 3: Emma Clem, Betty Radin, Anita Culbourn, Helen Huston, Suzanne Davis, Marion Partridge, Aurelia Wolter, Martha Smith, Jean Beesley, Jean Stapley. Row 4: William O'Leary, Donald Remde, William O'Brien, Robert Sullivan, Leon Woodworth, Edward Youngblood, Norman Zehner, Kenneth Buss, Leonard Tryner, Walter Kemnitz.

MISS BEITELSPACHER PERIOD VIII

Row 1: Janet Dunham, Jean Stalcup, Stewart Peterson, Colleen Anderson, Virginia Tharp, James Ireland, Beverly Stevens, Bill Black, Walter Swets, Delores Hill. Row 2: Henry Yonk, John Bennett, Don Allison, Steve Sienko, Louise Hall, Willis Hock, Robert Menden, William Milosevich, Alex Ber. Row 3: Alice Neal, Natalie Singer, Dorothea Reed, Betty Markes, Doris Ring, Marie Egofske, Juanita Turner, Lois Gouwens, Genevieve Jaskowiak, Gertrude Bell. Row 4: Sam Tortorici, Gordon Middleton, Willard Wiltz, Jerome Fitzgerald, Gene Griffith, Robert Kay, Donald Berta, Richard Bednarsik, George Duell.



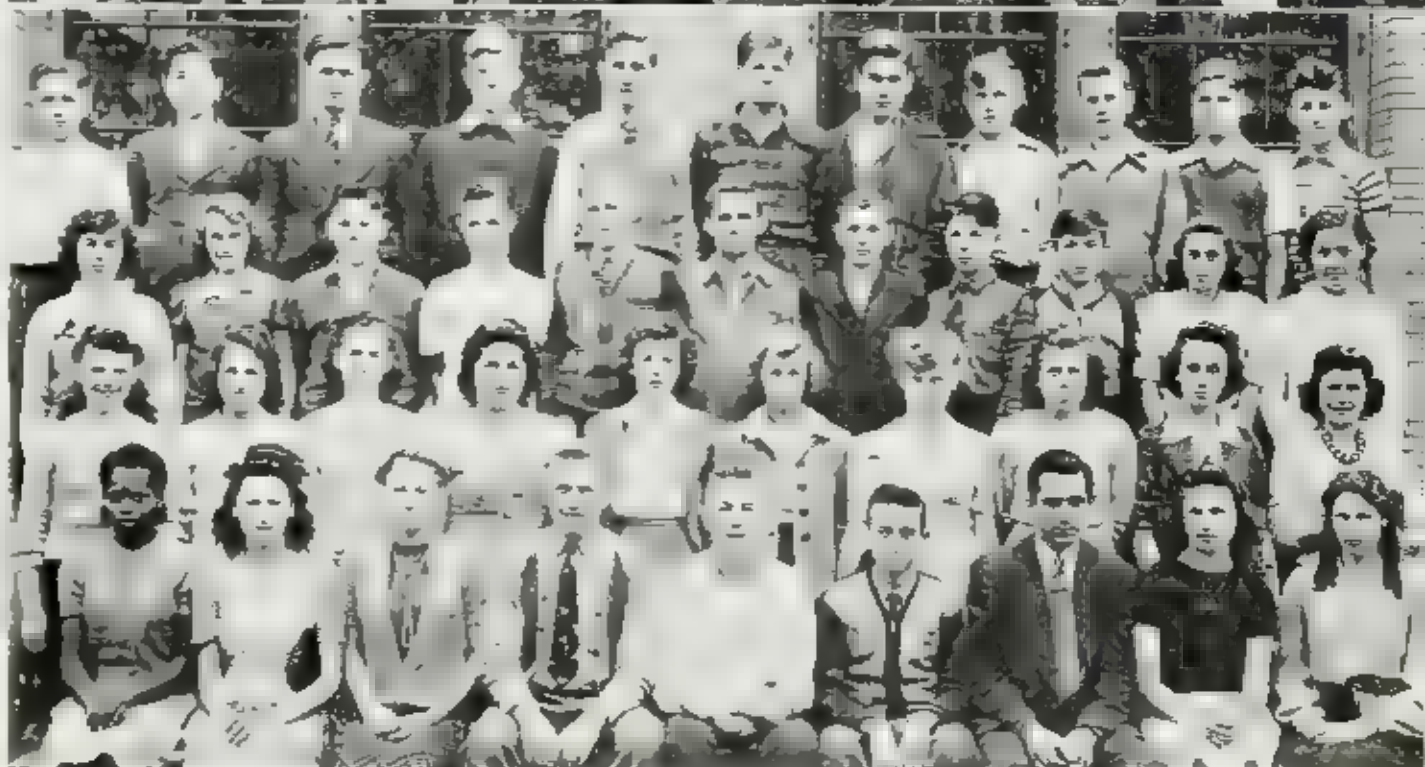
MISS CHILDS PERIOD III

Row 1: Marvin Woodstrup, Herbert Wills, Spiro Fetsis, Thomas VanEtten, Ted Miller, Douglas Linde, Richard Meenan, Peter Rynberk, Walter VanDer Zee. Row 2: Barbara Cantrell, LaVerne Wofciekowski, Erminia Panozzo, Evelyn Nelson, Mae Schlanger, Patricia Farrell, Mary Egebrecht, Pauline Ellison, Eleanor Truschke. Row 3: Gerrit Eylander, Geradine Werner, Louise Mitchell, Marie Peters, Lois Kerr, Luella Johnson, Eila Koartge, Bonnie Anderson, Joyce McArthur, Helen Lero, Rodney Blomquist. Row 4: Jack DeVries, Robert Marlatt, Mario Sappavigna, August Rinella, Frank Wolfenberger, Philip Grakauskas, William Wrede, Pat Lloyd, Glen Zornig, William Strawbridge.



MISS CHILDS PERIOD V

Row 1: Amatrice Bowens, Ann Renzie, Jeannette Chiz, Elvin Brown, Neil Worcester, Marton Lister, Raymond Kwiat, Jeanlouis Turner, Helen Carr. Row 2: Pearl Roesner, LaVerne Kohlman, Dorothy Klein, Rosemary Flickinger, Marilyn Runge, Jean Burr, Dorothy Prime, Patricia Magnuson, Naomi Alverson, Betty Huffman. Row 3: Cecil Kempsberg, Betty Shelley, Billie Wantland, Charles Ireland, Harvey Anker, Ray Michalski, Melvin Matthews, Richard VanDer Woude, Raymond Holden, Alabell Redor, Doris McCracken. Row 4: Raymond Smaran, Paul Adams, Theodore Rudziewicz, Vernon Hentsch, Luther Roy, Ramon Goranson, Murville Lutton, Ray Gollnick, Robert Dickelman, Donald Heath, Lyle Genens.



Freshmen



MISS CRITES PERIOD II
 Row 1 Marilyn Frummer, Marilyn Ehret, Jeannine Coutchie, Dona Downs, Priscilla Larinoff, Carol DeGraff, Lavone Viceroy, Frances Harding, Lois Kopp, Mary Louise Mazzacavallo Row 2 Nellie DeVries, Beatrice Ranney, Irwin Abraham, Eskin Huff, Robert Scapham, Betty V.nderaa, Bill Rose, Edward Crawford, Richard Rampke, Helen Barbera, Esie Kreil Row 3 Gloria Bucke, Anna Tinsma, Adeline Dickenson, Haroldine Johnson, Lorraine Sepiecinski, Ruth Michael, Norma Walton, Annetta Smith, Gloria Anderson, June Grant, Gloria Gronwall Row 4 Edward Ring, Edward Albrecht, James Graiziger, Darrel Thomas, Bill Purden, Fred Kasten, Bob Achor, Freeman Blackford, Kenneth Nagel, Frank Falknou



MISS CRITES PERIOD VII
 Row 1. Harry Wilson, Henry VanDer Giessen, Melvin Lewis, Kenneth Belz, George Yadeik, Charles Pocuse, Dave Koss, George Williams. Row 2 Juanita Budlore, Charlene Norton, Gertrude Smith, Jean Hoekstra, Thelma Marvis, Elsie Douglas, Reba Cooke Row 3 Johnny Lisek, Donald Friske, Rose Pluta, Theresa Fierro, Navonne Lehti, Lyle Noble, Kenneth Gibbons, Walter Mysliwiec. Row 4. Arthur Gill, D. R. Finney, Wayne Rogers, Joseph Polarski, Frank Kuczaj, Eugene Golden, Eugene Horner, Clarence Wallser



MISS HOLTON PERIOD VI
 Row 1. Margaret Coffin, Eugene Mech, Ralph Brockly, Doris Fratsche, Laura Ravesloot, Nellie Vroegh, Bill Dennis, Bob Anderson, Norma Giteronke Row 2 William Ott, Robert Stevens, Donald Pyles, Nancy Rolles, Dolores Fransen, Agnes Vander Giessen, Dorothy Zilske, Carl Boman, Emerson Haslet, Richard Hess. Row 3 Dolores Martens, Lorraine Sobkiewicz, Amelia Rooney, Jean Trkulja, Marian Roche, Lorraine Froehlich, Bernice Thrush, Maxine DeBob, Irene Paulos, Mildred Tysse Row 4 Carl Lundell, Robert Morrin, Henry Baasch, Victor Growden, Jack Brassfield, Henry Blanke, Karl Ertl, David Fadke, James Shelton, William Schleizer

MISS INGRAHAM PERIOD VII
 Row 1 Betty Wolff, Joy Wuestenburg, LaVerne Deichen, Louise Yadron, John VanDrunen, Margaret Kuhnle, Eleanor Charlton, Betty Boyens, Alice Miel
 Row 2 Alva Jackson, Marvin Austin, Roy Kukral, Earl Brooks, Gene Tomk, Lewis Fairbairn, Kenneth Nelson, Michael Kot, Fred Steiner
 Row 3 Charlene Holly, Dorothy Kellge, K. Banis, Madred Fromm, Marjorie Plante, Sarah Gierke, Genevieve Maxwell, Anna Kolb, Irene Jones, Agnes Martin
 Row 4 Gerald Van Baren, Donald Vremin, Warren Starr, Rudy Schreiber, Robert Newby, Richard Dickman, Jack Harding, Allen Laney, Chuck Young, Billie Jezek



MISS KEATING PERIOD III
 Row 1 James Ireland, Robert Bruyn, James Waddell, Elizabeth Vremin, John Hart, Jack Malone, Bob Fr
 Row 2 Jimmy Gates, Row 3 Margaret Brewsters, Betty DeGroot, Lorena Pruek, Kenneth Sisk, Stanley Lopez, Robert Reppert, Martin Lange, Douglas R. Wedder, Claribel Gregory, Alice Soper
 Row 4 Barney Stuart, Calvin Hansen, Doris Schlaudraff, Evelyn Lallack, Carl Schaller, Mary La Burton, Eden Mayerchuk, Mary Davis, Helen Xenick, William Metzger, Andrew Varco
 Row 5 Byron Haines, Charles Fadke, Grantlin Banks, Philip Miller, Auburn Williams, Joseph Dascenzi, Jerry Lane, Bud Burns, Hubert Richardson, Edward Bachar



MISS KEATING PERIOD VI
 Row 1 Charles DeRoper, Edward B. amsky, Herman Perran, James Roseborough, Edward Milen, Don Groeneveld, Henry Tannis
 Row 2 Eileen Daley, Helen Petkovich, John Danna, Maxine Queen, Bessie Roseborough
 Row 3 Betty McQueen, Harriet R. thenberg, Reversa Thomas, June Wood, Mary Jean La Roche, Flayne Welts, Mary Farr
 Row 4 George Licina, Adrian Van Eb, Leonard Van Ginder, Thomas Duell, William Boudreau, Guy Woolms, Edward Besse, William Fanella, Edward Mohr



Freshmen



MISS KEATING PERIOD VIII
Row 1: Irene Dorsey, Catherine Storr, Anne Fredrick, Patsy Sjell, Linda Morris, Virginia Edwards, Dorothy Bittner, Florence Hekkema. Row 2: Stanley Sieruga, Raymond Bailia, Duane Peterson, George Dienema, Ronald Bergman. Row 3: Ruby Long, Adeline Cisek, Maria Zmuda, Gregoria Esparza, Virginia Graves, Anne Czul, Helen Pasek, Eleanor Grand. Row 4: Eugene Sowens, Kenneth Humlick, Earl Morris, Frank Wietrzycki, William Guttschon, Robert Cook, John Colwenhoven, Louis Rosolowski, Teddy Wojtyczka.



MR. LOWDEN PERIOD I
Row 1: Fred Wojciechowski, William Paul, James McGowan, Mary Bodling, Caryl Paarlberg, Joyce VanDerAa, Teddy Keiser, Edward Wick, Kenneth Holleman. Row 2: Mary Bart, Betty McKay, Virginia Krontz, Phyllis Ballard, Carol Ames, Barbara Reeves, Sylvia Tarnahene, Mildred Goessel, Evelyn Mulder. Row 3: Anna Mackiver, Dorothy Daufenback, Mellamie Hughes, Rose Cowger, Rose Jacobs, Mary Buckelew, Mary Banberger, Frances Moore, Fern Janssen, Janetta Skye, Roann Chaney. Row 4: William Hawkin, Susan Peasley, Leona Van Drunen, Gene Bell, Gerald Jacobs, Robert Russell, Cornelius Borst, Walter Murawski, Betty Waddell, Carol Fagin, Eldon Messerschmidt.



MR. LOWDEN PERIOD III
Row 1: Jeanie Bennett, Barbara Gustafson, Lawrence Carlson, Donald Jurtt, Virel Donaldson, William Jessen, Eugene Braun, Dorothy Gronrose. Row 2: Georgette Brossard, Loretta Massoth, Elizabeth Filek, Marvine Wallwork. Row 3: Frank Roll, Carolyn Boudreau, Ernestine Brackins, Rose Spiezio, Ethel Sweatt, Theresa Kudak, Joanna Paulawsky, John Schaap. Row 4: Theresa Meyers, Howard Penrose, LeRoy Anderson, Jack Lyons, Ernest Brooks, Anthony Rosat, Ben Prince, Gladys Guild.

MR. OHLERT PERIOD I
 Row 1: Darwin Martin, Norman Bontje, Darlene Fisele, Gloria Fioretti, Betty Traub, Eleanor Kitchen, Betty Jani Proper, Phil Staab, Kenneth Boyer. Row 2: Harold Greer, Robert Frosch, Carl Koch, Paul Vrsek, Carl Zealstra, Walter Seput, Cornelius Vanderheyden, Mark Bates, Fred Lundquist, Dave Pearce, Joseph Zawiska. Row 3: Helen Remkus, Mildred Vander Heyden, Vera Boswell, Betty Heuer, Richard Fraker, Robert Zarack, Carol De Young, Mabel Wierenhott, Gwendolyn Staples, Betty Queen. Row 4: Robert Kehoe, Raymond Welch, Richard Nicklas, Carl Christianson, Norman Van Deursen, Merlyn Delos Keys, Bob Kennedy, Mathew Rath, James McManus, Frank Fouts.



MR. OHLERT PERIOD IV
 Row 1: John Peltz, Warren Rogers, Jean Zimny, Elaine Neely, Mary Louise Bobb, Theresa Dyrz, John Needles, Jack Cotter. Row 2: Richard Friske, Bernard Gentry, Julius Locicero, William Smith, Raymond Baker, George Kats, Frank G.J., Paul Larsen, Donald Polizzi. Row 3: Irene Borys, Anna Marie Dejanovich, Florence Mesnik, Mildred Anderson, Florence Gorski, Beatrice Thomas, Leonne Meder, Lois Wallin, Edna Drenth. Row 4: John Hobson, Roger Frebel, Walter Kollmann, Viator Kyrouac, Herbert Alexander, Bruce Pless, John Gleser, Charles Stanepher.



MISS SMITH PERIOD VIII
 Row 1: Jack Rowe, Robert Shymkus, Florence Carey, Betty Davis, Marilyn Seligman, Alice Boer, Rose Carroll, Allen Johnson, Clarence Stomp. Row 2: Patricia Ortegell, Joyce Nowack, Dolores Roberts, Anna Louise Kinstall, Betty Benton, Gertrude Kehnast, Marion Ellis, Connie Potter, Irene Szczurak. Row 3: Ellen Williamson, Betty Nelson, Ruby Griffin, Doris Jessup, Pearl Lohrbach, Josephine Stefeske, Patricia Enright, Barbara Hall, Dolores Sarnowski, Norma Stilbot. Row 4: Robert Pekarek, Joseph Tienstra, Edward Scott, Ralph Kiacaol, Arthur Campbell, Ronald Ortegell, Keith Padgett, Wilfred Veldhuis, Otho McFarland, Ivman Anfield.



Freshmen



MISS STAUFFER PERIOD III

Row 1: John Beabout, Richard Haviland, Norman Rodgers, Bonnie Bendle, Peggy Mohney, Georgia Boyette, Maurice Carr, Seymour Sasaye. Row 2: Shirley Irwin, Eleanor Schmidt, William Billington, Thelma Kaufmann, Marion Butz, Dolores Poalone, Gloria Apker, Shirley Berry, Helen Sledziewski, Jean Doll, Carol Clement. Row 3: Jerry Sublette, Kenneth Trumpey, Sam Ward, Minnie Vanderhilt, Muriel Wernicke, Katherine Stineman, Dorothy Boswell, Donald O'Brien, Duane Bielefeldt, George Caywood, Betty McLaren. Row 4: Donald Doll, James Cochran, Rodger De Ridder, Don O'Connor, Russell Hart, Peter Youngblood, George Anello, Timothy Conkis, Norman Acquaviva, John Basista.



MISS STAUFFER PERIOD VII

Row 1: Paul Parent, Joe Swingle, Donna Ryskamp, Beatrice Vandenberg, Campbell McConnell, Loretta Norman, Eleanore Herman, Edward Pajor, Marvin Geber. Row 2: Doris Lee Templin, Mary Armington, Dolores Schnering, Lois Pagoria, June Volbrecht, Eleanor Mackiewicz, Mary Woolard, Connie W. Adon, Doris Senesac. Row 3: Jack Mills, John Gratkowski, Barbara Ann Goostree, Robert Charleston, Patricia Andrews, Frank Garosh, Bobbie Thul. Row 4: Gene Wilkinson, Keith Hebble, Orville Heffren, Matthew Holuj, Melvin De Graff, Harry Katzman, Leo Bernardi, Wesley Churchill, James Bryson.



MR. UMBALGH PERIOD III

Row 1: Evelyn Bostrom, Jo Anne Schmidt, Helen St. Denis, Betsy Becker, Bill Erman, Helen Gjerde, Betty Garganus, Esther Pajak, Beatrice Smith. Row 2: Betty Kreps, Robert Miller, Edward Mathie, Robert Salter, George Backus, Melvin Beagle, John Thompson, Joan Crust. Row 3: Barbara Drew, Jacqueline Elmore, Gloria Gold, Marcia Owens, Sylvia Ippel, Jeanne Skerry, Mary Howard, Beatrice Turek, Frances Tawzer, Dolores Vandracek. Row 4: Kenneth Moreton, James Bethel, Charles Bremigan, Robert Connell, Dick Jaeschke, George Caskey, George Clark, Phil Hayes, Leonard Jozsik, Wally Garrison.

MISS WILSON

PERIOD II

Row 1 George Kreis, Latham Johnson, Sam Jenter, Stephen Pram, Herbert Robinson, George Ehret, John Kays. Row 2 Isabel Murray, Jane VanGrieken, Sylvia Tornabene, Clara Mack, Marion Otte, Evelyn Leah Harms, Betty Pettigrew, Blondelle Tibbetts. Row 3 Harvey Stevens, Alfred Kuna, Stanley Polanski, Dorothy Lucht, Shirley Miller, Irene Buben, Aloysius Smago, Richard Bachara, Harlan Murray. Row 4 George Michelson, Raymond Smith, Richard Bookham, Earl Lash, Walter Carlson, Forest Evans, Ralph Hedtke, Robert Lange, William Barnes.



MISS WILSON

PERIOD V

Row 1 Lorraine Tamolo, Pearl Jensen, Harriet DeYoung, Bonny McLaren, Louise Bensen, Catherine Supinski, Bonetta Black, Josephine Klimala, Helen Turnbull. Row 2 Gerald Donaldson, Dick Spitzka, Paul Miller, Bill Haase, Hemlon Mackey, Anthony Fronczak, Jack MacDonald. Row 3 Edmund Richard, Joe Getz, Grace Boer, Ilene Groeneveld, Delores Karlove, Vada Brasel, Lorraine Lister, John Krol, Andrew Bundy. Row 4 Helen Couwenhoven, Helen Paulausky, Della Dawson, Evelyn Bernat, Mary Czech, Florence Wesner, Stella Kozik, Isabelle Martire, Phyllis Reason.



MISS WILSON

PERIOD VI

Row 1 Charles Stegmeier, Donna Piss, Shirley Anderson, Isabelle Szczepankiewicz, Donn Birkley, Lillian Brindza, Shirley De Young, Jeannine Payan, Wendell Cantwell. Row 2 Carol Emerson, Ella Arndt, Lucille Van Deraa, Jeanette Kellogg, Annette Vaught, Shirley Olthoff, Harriette Jones, Lola Schnurlein, Eleanor Ward, Ann Kocharski. Row 3 Florence Black, Harry Brotan, Alex Brandenburg, Lawrence Latowski, Virginia McQueen, Ardell Adams, Ira De Young, Gerald Pals, Doris Gallagher. Row 4 Betty Davidson, Louis Olsen, Arthur Albright, Philip Reed, Victor Kaminski, Howard Bryant, John Iverson, Paul Bakker, Milton Degenhart, Barbara Wilson.



THEY PLAN







GIRLS CLUB MAJOR OFFICERS AND BOARD
 Row 1: Prescilla Joseph, Speaker of the Council; Kathryn Lipe, Treasurer; Paula Adler, Vice President; Jane Dalenberg, President; Anne Moravick, Secretary; Ruby Cashion, Speaker of Division Chairmen. Row 2: Jean Brown, Betty Kirkendall, Sally Guild, Marjorie Hellstrom, Bettye Long. Row 3: Lorraine LaFond, Dale Nelson, Kathryn Clark, Bonnie Anderson, Mary Ingwersen, Evelyn Weis.



Girls Club

The Girls club is teeming with activity! Here are junior and senior girls signing up activity points for the freshman and sophomore girls who wish to earn their white and purple "T's". The upperclassmen on the Activity Point commission are striving to earn their Junior and Senior Service awards, given for service rendered to the club by prospective members during the junior and senior years, respectively.



There's a joint meeting tonight of the Board of Control, Division chairmen, and the Council. Each of these bodies of girls is vital to the organization. The Board consists of the six major officers and of representatives from each class. It is the governing body of the club and is the group which takes final action upon all suggestions and ideas presented. The representative's duty is to bring to the Girls club a list of girls absent from her homeroom. To the girls who are ill is sent a cheery letter to keep them informed of the Thornton activities. The Council also has a representative from each home room who brings suggestions from her classmates to the monthly Council meeting.

Over in this corner one sees girls busily checking the lists of absentees brought in by the Division chairmen. These girls are the Secretaries of attendance, one chosen from each class. They are the ones who write those interesting cards when you're sick in bed. These



GIRLS CLUB DIVISION CHAIRMEN

Row 1- Rosalie Laramie, Suzanne Hodgman, Barber Anderson, Helen O'Connell, Dona Downs, Alice Carter, Ruby Cashion, Lois Nofsger, Ethel Breitenfeld. Row 2- Lois Perkins, Joy Mullender, Rinda Tatgenhorst, LaVerne Deichen, Patricia Armington, Janet Cron, Laurel Rae Burnett, Mary Jean Ralph, Jeanette Cobb, Harriette Jones, Jeanne McNew, Nancy Sheehan. Row 3- Ruth Kaar, Helen Boudreau, Doris Nelson, Lenora De Boer, Evelyn Nelson, Priscilla Larinoff, Gloria Anderson, Barbara Drefhall, Lorraine Van Der, Pat Farrell, Marion Wuzel, Eleanor Killmer. Row 4- Carol Youngblood, Mary Jo Tawzer, Dolores Podem, Pat Hook, Lee Singer, Elaine Cawby, Lois Anderson, Violet Revelts, Betty Jean Anderson, Constance Giers, Ellen Tienstra.

GIRLS CLUB COUNCIL

Row 1- Jeanne Skerry, Betty Boyd, Marion Vogel, Shirley Dablin, Shirley Tatgenhorst, Mary Howard, Rose Mary Jacobs, Shirley McKebben, Betty Carlin. Row 2- Esther Park, Barbara Bolke, Grace Vandenberg, Ruby Smith, Viola Hassberg, Norma Gatersonke, Margaret Kuhrie, Jeannine Couchie, Beth L-Rue, Joan Lipe, Barbara Bradley. Row 3- Carol Vander Kloot, Carolyn Slack, Colleen Anderson, Bobbie Bailey, Mary Thorsen, June McMurtrey, Joan Fairbairn, LaVine Fischer, Harriett Moore, Ruth Siebert, Marilyn Drefhall. Row 4- Emma Ann Beck, Mary Whitford, Katherine Kehle, Ver Jean Wolf, Louise Yaden, Priscilla Joseph, Ellen Myrberg, Vera Boswell, Louise Benson, Janet Cron, Grace Alt.





GIRLS CLUB JUNIOR SERVICE AWARD

Row 1. Jane Dalenberg, Grace Ravesholt, Lois Anderson, Alice Moravsek. Row 2. Helen O'Connell, Barbara Bradley, Pat Rowlette, Ruth Bardwick, Marie Roesner, Dale Nelson. Row 3. Rita Rogers, Marjorie Rice, Joan Van Laningham, LeVine Fischer, Kathryn Lipe.

girls plus the Marshals, who take care of the seating and the passing out of programs during Girl's club assemblies, and the Custodians, who keep the office and office equipment in tiptop order, make up the House committee.

To honor those girls who merit scholarship awards, the Girls club sponsors teas and assemblies at which due honors are given the girls who have all "A's" in four solids, fail no subjects, and have satisfactory citizenship ratings. Those girls who have attained the high impos-

sible of seven semesters of all "A's" have their names engraved on the scholarship cup. This year four girls earned this high honor: Jeanne Baxter, Suzanne Hodgman, Jane Roman, and Mary Joanne Tawzer.

Just before Christmas girls scurry in and out of the Girls club office filling baskets with food and clothing. In one corner stands a Christmas tree and in another is a box of toys for children. In addition to working throughout the year,

GIRLS CLUB SCHOLARSHIP

Row 1. Lettice LaFollette, Barbara Jean Anderson, Suzanne Hodgman, Alice Moravsek, Paula Adler, Mary Scott, Pat Rowlette. Row 2. Matt Thiesen, Jane Ricks, Ed Helen Munkush, Doris Anderson, Sally Gault, Marion Thomas, Ellen Myrback, Shirley Dahlmann, Olive Wolf. Row 3. Ann Mearns, Mary Whitford, Carol Youngblood, Mary Jo Tawzer, Helen Piss, Nancy Harrison, Martha Kester, Nelda Heitren.





GIRLS CLUB HOUSE COMMITTEE

Row 1: Helen Kalinowski, Lee Steiger, Violet Zoller, Gloria Bechlev. Row 2: Angela Katis, Eleanor Sarnowski, Marie Roesner, Edna Schults, Joan Van Laningham. Row 3: Mary Lou Wagner, Rita Rogers, Ellen Myrberg, Helen Young.

giving help where it is needed, the club is especially busy at Christmas.

The Girls club sponsors teas and banquets to entertain mothers, fathers, and teachers in an effort to show appreciation for all who have helped its members.

There ring the bells for a Loyalty Day assembly! This is the solemn and inspiring occasion on which the freshmen girls give their pledge to be loyal to themselves, the school

and their Girls club throughout the forthcoming years at Thornton. Sophomores, juniors and seniors renew their pledge of loyalty.

One may note, in passing the Girls club office, Miss Helen Wilson, Dean of Girls, giving encouragement to a girl who has become discouraged in her work. With the help of Miss Wilson's kindness and understanding the Girls club continues as a major influence in the lives of Thornton's girls.



GIRLS CLUB ACTIVITY POINT COMMISSION

Row 1: Lorraine La Fond, Rosemary Whitney, Betty Kuykendall, Therese Maguire, Olive Wolf, Jean Hochstetler. Row 2: Alice Carter, Virginia Bernard, Barbara Buyer, Helen Grakauskas, Elaine Cawby, Doris Anderson, Mernel Hansen.





GIRLS CLUB WELFARE COMMITTEE

Row 1 Lorraine La Fond, Marie Roesner, Dolores Sarnowski, Barbara Anderson, Helen Young, Margaret Dommer, Pegg Lundmark, Patricia Armington. Row 2: Angela Karis, Lois Alm, Joy Barnard, Joan Frantz, Paula Adler, Violet Zoller, Gloria Bechely, Barbara Smuts, Therese McGuire. Row 3: Diane Denis, Lois Scott, Arlene Fruehlich, Eleanor Sarnowski, Barbara Buyer, Dorothy Heaton, Pat Rowlette, Joan Van Laningham, Lee Steiger, Rita Rogers, Doris Anderson, Mary Guthrie. Row 4: Jean Guthrie, Alma Gordon, Ellen Marie Myrberg, Virginia Bernard, Carol Youngblood, Mary Thorsen, Rosemary Whitney, Bonnie Kentish, Lorraine Diolet, Kathleen Hunter, Mary Obernesser.

It may be the freshman Stand-up, but all girls, upperclassmen included, look forward to it each year. Held on a Saturday afternoon near the beginning of the school year; the informality of the occasion makes the new freshman girls realize that they are an integral part of Thornton. The moving line, an established custom of the Stand-up, is formed so that girls can shake hands with everyone. Invited guests

from other schools join in the fun and promote inter school friendships.

This year movies held the spotlight. Each class presented its version of a feature of movie life. Silent days, an actress in the WAAC's, a western melodrama, and a style show proved the ingenuity of Thornton girls. Pop, cookies, and dancing to an all girl orchestra filled the remainder of the afternoon.

GIRLS CLUB MARSHALS
Row 1: Lorraine Massey, Joan Van Laningham, Doris McManus, Pat Rowlette.
Row 2: Melba Daley, Helen Grakauskas, Doris Stone, Helene Strak.



Standup



They do the Work



Glamour



Mellendramen



She ruled



WAACY movie stars



Our Gang



Queen of the May

To Thornton's junior girls May is a very special month. for then one of them will be chosen to be May Queen and eleven others to be her court of honor

Elected by all of the junior girls, the court is composed of girls known for their friendliness, attractiveness, and high standard of conduct. They must have a C plus scholarship record and a satisfactory citizenship rating

As Queen of the May in 1947, Jane Dalenberg with her maid of honor, Ruby Cashion, presided over her court, consisting of Doreen Moll, Alice Moravek, Emily Triemstra, Marjorie Rice, Gloria Rogers, Mary Miller, Kathryn Lipe, Mary Herthel, Pat Rowlette, and Lillian Jay





Mother Stayed at Home



*He thinks
so too—*



My Friends



Does he mean it?



2 by 2



Cyrano '42



BOYS CLUB BOARD AND MAJOR OFFICERS

Row 1- Jim Scott, Tom
Finbecker, Phil Farris, John
Gailey, Bill Haney Row
2- Jack Lipe, Campbell
McConnell, Frank Mans-
held, George W. Ulrich



Mr. O. F. Umhough, Carl Sandin, Phil Farris, John Gailey

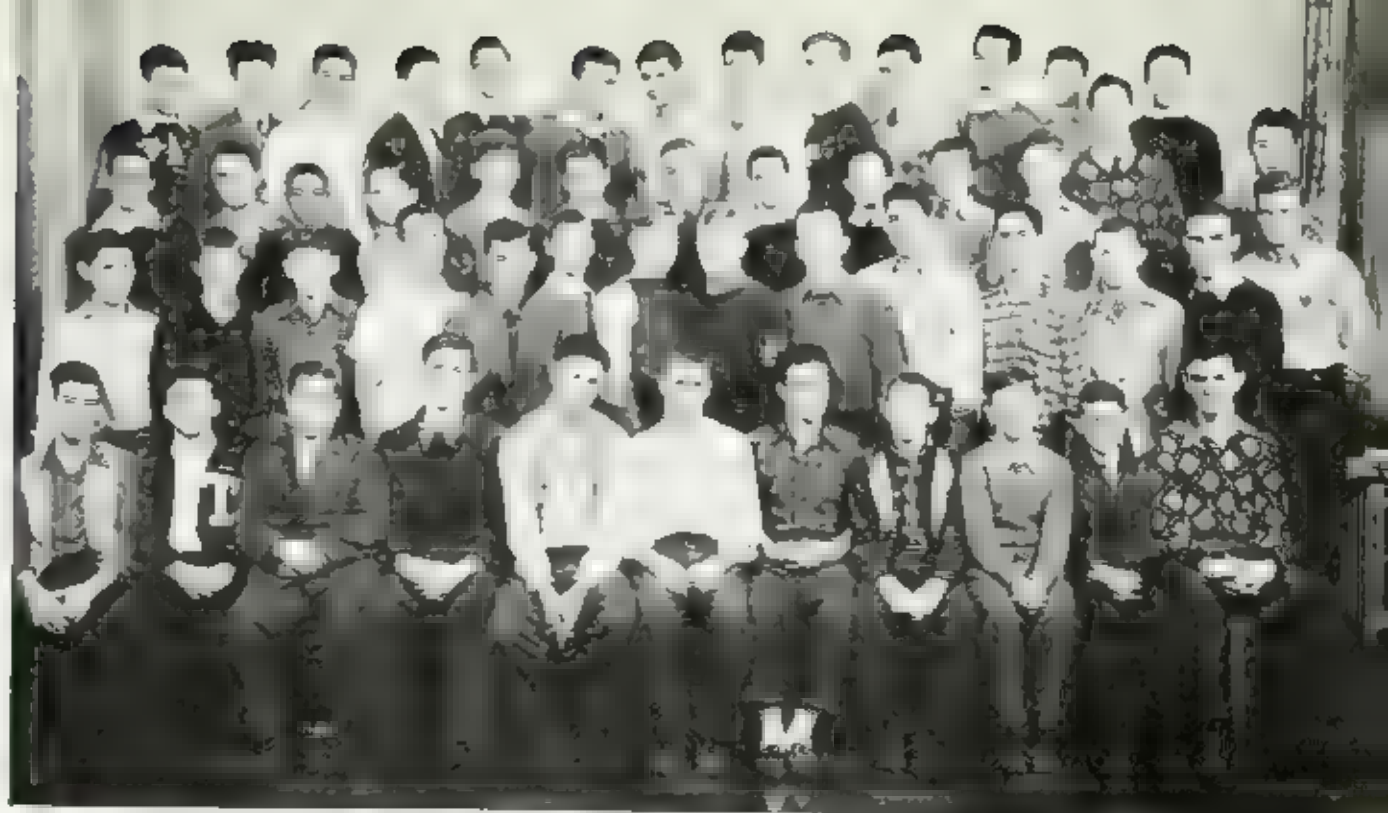
Boys Club

What would Thornton do without the Boys Club? It's difficult to imagine because, having been founded in 1924, it has long played an important part in Thornton affairs. This club has charge of keeping order in and around school at all times; it provides the boys of Thornton with representation in activities, and plans recreation for the fellows and their dads.

The Board of Directors, composed of four seniors, three juniors, two sophomores, and one freshman, appoints homeroom representatives who act as delegates for every boy in school.

Hall guards maintain order in the halls at all times. They also have special jobs acting as messengers and fire watchers during fire and air raid drills.





BOYS CLUB HOMEROOM REPRESENTATIVES

Row 1: Harry Dykstra, Jack DeVries, Norman Kueher, Walter Johnson, Phil Farris, Tom Pontius, Orrin Kreps, James Blau, Mark Bates, Tom Troller, John Cairns. Row 2: Alan Hanson, Arthur Brookley, James Haines, Ed Baulia, Alfred McElquham, Charles Strawbridge, Thomas VanEtten, Elvin Brown, David Owens, John Needles, Bill Marlatt, Lester Willmer, Frederick Glaeser, Herbert Niefeldt. Row 3: Jack Cotton, Norbert Giese, Bernard Gentry, Raymond Smaton, Bob Kennedy, Tunis Van Baren, August Vrshek, William O'Brien, Bob Repbert, George Steffek, Milton Dalsen, Ralph Medley, Louis Rigik. Row 4: Ellsworth Wannemaker, Keith Ivila, Warren Fraser, John Ross, Paul Field, Darrell Thomas, James Ferguson, Jack Smut, Ed Thomas, Bill Kolloway, George Woodrich, Fred Snyder, Wendell Cantwell.

Ushers act as guides to patrons at football and basketball contests.

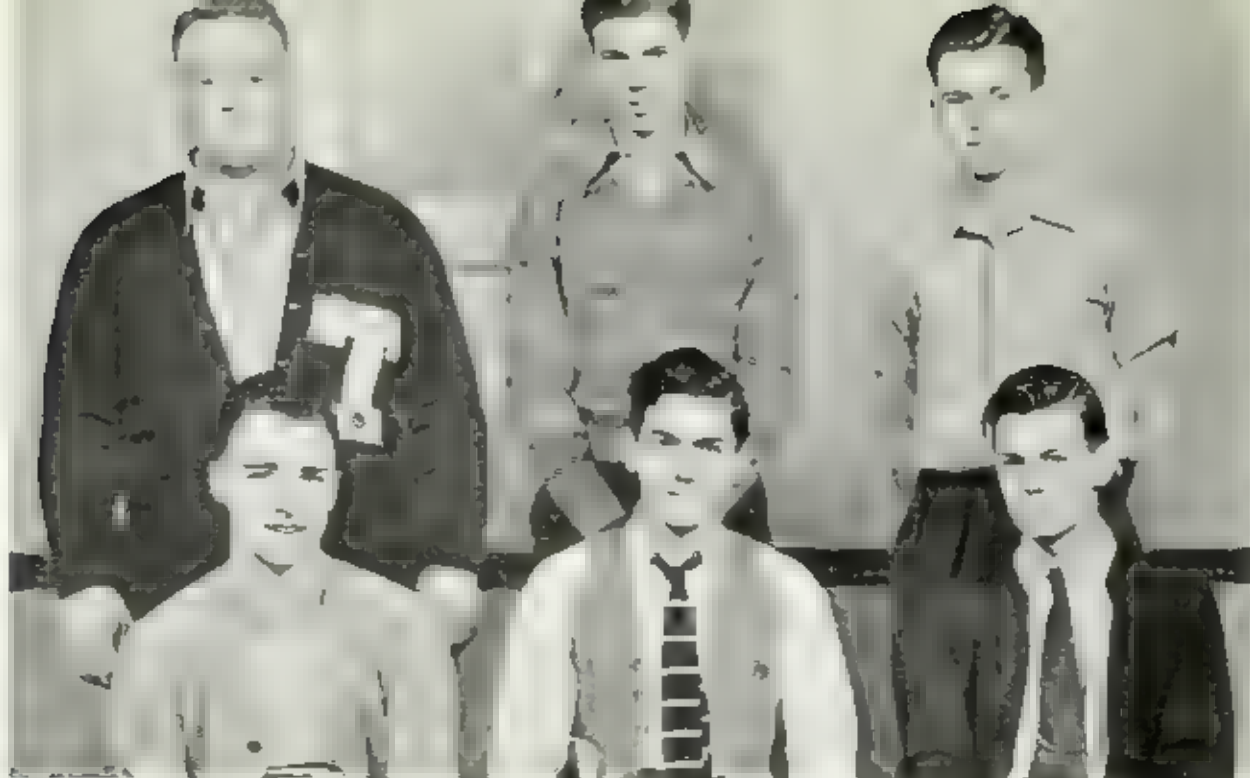
The lawns and sidewalks around school owe their trim, neat appearance to the Campus patrol which sees that students don't throw papers on the grounds.

Bus guards keep order in the school buses to prevent accidents. The guards are aided by the Safety squad members whose territory includes the entire school and surrounding grounds. Due to the work of these organizations accidents are decreasing around Thornton.

CAMPUS PATROL

Row 1: Francis Kunkel, Robert Anderson, Lee Jacobson, Carl Sandin, Paul Kipley, Frank George, James Homan, Leonard Hawryso, Joseph Majeske, Robert Benson. Row 2: Hubert Mango, William Guetschow, Kenneth Buss, Eugene Golden, Maurice Stegall, Domenic Dirutigliano, Sam Tortorici, Sam Louts, Sam Ward, Paul Adams, Richard Muklas, Warren Smart, Carl Zeilstra, Carl Lundell. Row 3: Joseph Mangano, Cecil Summers, Gerald Rauwolf, George Krar, Walter Arthur, Warren Rogers, Jack Smedley, Herbert Day, Bob Scully, Walter Fitschen, Heulon Mackey, John Beabout, Matthew Firetto, George Anello, Walter Morek. Row 4: Ralph Thoresen, Murville Litton, Duane Peterson, David Leach, Marion Burke, Sylvester Williams, Edward Worszalek, Frederick Waldschmidt, Charles White, Arthur Mueller, Richard Rasmussen, Tom Cantwell.





HALL GUARD CAPTAINS

Row 1 Eugene Piazza, Carl Sandin, Dick Brund Row 2 Sam Nevills, Richard Anderson
John Gailey



HALL GUARDS I

Row 1: Richard Klouda, Robert Sellin, Shirley Ward, LaVerne Trumpey, Bill Dunn, Jack
Swing, Myron Jebens. Row 2 Norman Spindler, Doug Smith, Stanley Onak, Frank Fioretti
Doug Smith, Ed Peterson, Dick Yavenue, Chuck Ireland Row 3: Charles Shumard, Bob
McCullough, Louis Markes, Joseph Mez Robert Woodard Jim Ferguson, Jim Scott George
Steffek





HAIL GUARDS II

Row 1 Robert Davison, James Demayo, Ronald Marsh, Richard Anderson, Harold Shymkus, Henry Bennett, Phil Farris, Sam Nevills, Nicky Zegarac, Leslie Holler. Row 2: Paul Blake more, Leo Noble, Harry DeYoung, Clifford Wyckoff, Cecil Summers, Ray Letourneau, Eugene Piazza, Charles Kickert, Bob Prill, Jack Fleener, Louis Bachara, Don Caperton, Stanley Leland John Witt, Dominick Piscione. Row 3: Albert Gehn, Nelson Tromp, Don Bitters, Bruce Lehman, Bob Reese, John Ross, Ray Geschke, Ernest Reed, Wendell Cotton, Milarad Erakovich, Jack Poucher, Ralph Cooper, George Budwash, Norman Borner, Arnold Medrow. Row 4: George Cusman, Paul Robinson, Leo Sample, Walter Goletz Jr., Theodore Garczynski, Frederick Nietfeldt, Bill Thacher, Norbert Pycz, Thor Jensen, Harold Wallace, Carl Koelling, Rudy Adam, Bob Murphy, Florian Laskey

HAIL GUARDS III

Row 1 John Haase, Robert McBain, Phillip McBain, Walter Johnson, Milton Kramer, Dick Heath, Bill Bren, Alfred Ries, William Cooper, John Gauley. Row 2: Milfred Bettenhausen, Robert Smith, Melvin Haddon, Ed Lehmann, Leonard Broderick, Thomas Regnier, Dick Brund, Lee Wasson, John Garczynski, Ellsworth Wannemaker, Clarence Miffin, William Simpson. Row 3: Arthur Black, Bob Jennings, James Winicky, Glenn Gibbs, Harold Williams, Amos Lotz, Ray Stedal, Ed Bailia, Emmett King, Robert Rundin, Jack Powley, Francis Park, Harvey Park. Row 4: Glenn Engelhardt, Walter Koteff, Robert Koster, Paul Eldridge, Art Madden, Teddy Graver, Donald Drefhall, Charles Beck, William McBain, Bob Kirmse, Joe Dyrge





BUS GUARDS

Row 1 Harold Pals, Svend Olovall, Jean Haase, Carl Sinding, Paul Kipley, Irvy Abraham. Row 2. Tunis Van Baren, Gerrit Hirtz, Oliver Henry, Robert Haase, Donald Wernicke, Edmund Oppenhaus. Row 3. William J. Garry, Edward Eike, Louis Brouwer, Lewis Brouwers, Florian Furmanek. Row 4 Floyd Kuipper, James Brock, Paul Schmidt, Onelio Corsi, Jerome Zimny, Bill Haase, Bill Payn.



USHERS

Row 1 Bob Davison, Leslie Holler, Lyman Baldrige
Row 2 Paul Kipley, Emmett King, Keith Lyrla.



SAFETY SQUAD

Row 1. Norman Rietveld, Louis Benson, Donald Clark, Frederick Hess, Harry Keeling, Donald Henkle, Charles McEntee, Frank George, Robert Guthrie. Row 2. Robert Weber, Ralph Hedtke, Henry Ratere, Peter Herman, Robert Allen, Joseph Puglisc, Raymond Leeson, Johnny Eagan, Joseph Lotscher. Row 3. Henry Pierce, Tommy Riddle, Bruce Pless, Gene Griffith, Lyn Rudolph, Mirron White, Gregory Gerdes, Charles Richmond, Lyman Baldrige, Ed Besse, Jack DeVries.





Men Only

Boys and men only! It's "Stag" tonight! Boys of Thornton and their proud fathers assemble to learn and to be entertained. Early in the evening the guests were conducted on a tour through the mazes of the Industrial Arts department, that group of workshops so intriguing to those with mechanical interests.

A shortened version of Shakespeare's classic "Taming of the Shrew," wherein Petruchio by boast and humor reprimands Kate, a beautiful proud woman, until she becomes the most docile of wives, provided the main entertainment of the evening.

Hot dogs and trimmings furnished good reason for the trek to the cafeteria and the good fellowship that prevailed there.



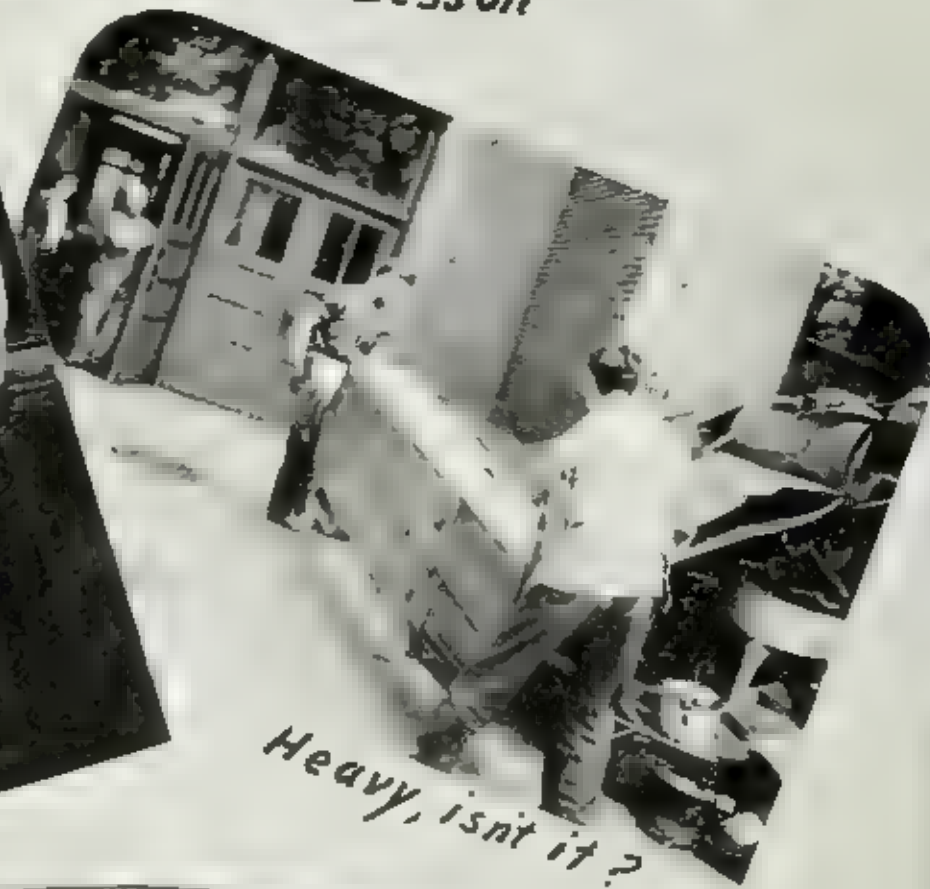


We do Our Share

Take a Lesson



\$1,000 this Week



Heavy, isn't it?



These Modern Women



P T A OFFICERS

Row 1 Mrs. Ed Hansen, historian; Mrs. David Jones, vice-president; Mrs. C. I. Bethe, vice president; Mrs. A. C. Mullen, vice president; Mrs. M. J. Younker, president; Mrs. Leslie Salter, first vice-president; Mrs. John Haase, second vice-president; Mrs. William Johnson, secretary; Miss Marguerite Fruin, treasurer. Row 2. Dr. William E. McVey, Superintendent of Thornton Township High School and Junior College, Mr. Fred W. Ring, financial secretary.

Parents and Teachers

"To carry on constructive work for better parenthood, better homes, better schools, and better communities" is one of the chief aims of the Parent Teachers association. This is the organization which promotes greater co-operation between the home and the school and whose monthly meeting is held for the purpose of discussing those problems which arise concerning pupil welfare.

After the meeting when refreshments are served, the parents are given an opportunity to become acquainted with their children's instructors and to discuss with them individually problems which have arisen.

The PTA sponsors taffy apple sales, Hi Jinks

night, and cooperates with the Purple X in promoting other student activities. This organization annually spends large sums of money to help students with the opportunity of earning money for their books, lunches, and other necessary expenses. All aid provided for students is provided impersonally, and all publicity is avoided.

The PTA believes in the home as the most significant institution developed by mankind for the maintenance and development of social welfare. "What the wisest and best parent wants for his own child is that which the community should desire for all children."



"All the World's

Improvise!" said Stanislavsky," is an oft repeated phrase from "Out of the Frying Pan," the Boys and Girls club play, which was produced to raise funds for student assembly programs

The play is concerned with the story of six young people who aspire to the theater. By pooling their resources they were able to live in the apartment above Mr. Kenny, the producer who was about to choose a cast for his road company. By ingenious thinking and fast talking they corralled Mr. Kenny for a try-out. The realism of the murder scene which they enacted was such that the police swarmed in. The story unfolded quickly with a happy conclusion for all.

Then on the nights of April 17 and 18, 1942, Thornton's auditorium rocked with laugh-



a Stage"



ter when the senior play, "Young April," was presented. This delightful comedy concerns the college life and loves of two young people Terry and George McIntyre, whose high school antics were shown a few years ago in "Growing Pains

Complete sell outs testify to the excellence of the production. The stage crews this year were made up of students from the newly organized dramatics class, an elective for the seniors. The class included students interested in both the acting and the production phases of dramatics. Its members wrote and acted in one act plays and presented pantomimes and platform reviews, besides constructing the scenery and doing the make-up for the longer school productions





CHORUS

Row 1 Betty DeVries, Janice Brund, Fern Johnson, Margie Rockström, Shirley Van Tongeren, Barbara Cordt, Margaret Brown, Wauneta Gorrell, Dona Koss, Barbara Snyder, Ruby Ahrens, June DeBok. Row 2 Pat Dickman, Doris Cox, Mary Hobbs, Betty Simer, Alice Waterstraat, Betty Flohr, Katherine Kehle, Alfreda Willman, Bobby Maloney, Sally Guild, Virginia Keys, Alice Moravek, Margaret Raimann, Virginia Rensink. Row 3 Patricia Fagette, Marjorie Hellstrom, Shirley Spoolstra, Nancy Harvison, Jane Dalenberg, Gloria Bechely, Doreen Moll, Peg Howard, Mary Jo Tawzer, Gloria Sellin, Pat Rowlette, Mary Whitford, Genevieve Van Milligan, Evelyn Mark. Row 4 Tom Gibbons, Jack Dunn, Robert Guthrie, James McHenry, William Garry, William McBain, Carl Fischer, Paul Baker, Donald Wernicke, Walter Ptuhl, Harold Williams, Marion Burke, Gerald Ippel, Dick Brund, Edwin Salter, Sam Sutton.

Chords and

Vocal music embraces more than two hundred students at Thornton. Incentive to do one's best is provided by the Mixed chorus whose members are chosen only after at least one year's work in the Boys or Girls Glee clubs. During this year the student learns to read music, to control his breathing, and to improve his tone quality. At the end of each school year try-outs are held to select the members for the following year's chorus.

The Madrigal group, organized a year ago, is open to students interested in spending additional time on vocal music work. At present twelve boys and girls rehearse regularly during the homeroom period. The popularity of the Madrigal group is increasing, and it has already been called upon to perform for a number of programs.

The nine girl ensemble from the first Girls Glee club is the group which pro-

vided music for a number of teas and club meetings throughout the year.

It's a few days before Christmas. The air rings with beautiful old Christmas carols. You are in Thornton's auditorium. All eyes are focused on the purple-robed choir on the stage. As the last "Noel" dies away, the lights go on; another traditional concert of Thornton's Music department is a thing of the past.

You are pleased to learn that soon the choral groups will present a musical revue tracing American music through some of its most famous periods and ending with the inspiring "Song of Faith" by John Alden Carpenter.

Then in the last month of school you thrilled to the yearly Spring concert when balmy weather prevailed and girls in summer formals sang the "May Day Carol" with the joy that is spring.



GLEE CLUB

Row 1 Cleo Broom, Jean Frank, Ardis Swank, Naomi Alverson, Jeanne Knapp, Carl Clement, Dorothy Raimann, Suzanne Hodgeman, Marilyn Sheahan, Marilyn Corbett, Jean Heane, Angela Katis, Betty Jo Perkins, Grace Alt, Betty Millsap, Lorraine DeGroot, Carol Vander Kloot. Row 2: Muriel Wordelmann, Shirley Cogswell, Helen Xenick, Eleanor Weber, Billie Jezek, Rosemary Flickinger, Arlene Newland, Geraldine Adams, Dorothy Bennett, Maxine DeBor, Ruth Johnson, Mary Stout, Dolores Lorenz, Alice Carter, Martha Smith, Doris Anderson. Row 3: Lois Alm, Janet Dunham, Marilyn Drethall, Betty Krusche, Betty Vander Aa, Lois Kopp, Anita Coleburn, Dorothea Smith, Betty Spitzka, Joan Van Laningham, Lois Nofsger, Ruby Cashion, Margaret Dommer, Ruth Cashion, Betty Allison. Row 4: Marion Foster, Ellen Wascher, Constance Goers, Betty Wallace, Rosemary Whitney, Lucille Lozny, Therese Maguire, Emily Butler, Mary Jane Billinghamer, Dona Spina, Joann Zeldenrust, Liz Sausaman, Joan Fairbairn, Amelia Cavett, Mary Ann Falknor, Lorraine Calo, Jeanne McNeil.

Chorals



GIRLS GLEE CLUB

Row 1: Mary Lu Burton, Lorrain Steele, Eleanor Basile, Marilyn McHenry, Isabel Fox, Eileen Tienstra, Barbar Willows, Emma Ann Beck, Virginia Bernard, Mary Ingwersen, Dona Downs, Effie Long, Betty Johnson, Marilyn Porter, Chriso Fetsis. Row 2: Alicia Neckala, Beverly Janus, Jean Guthrie, Shirley Dallmann, Joan Yatsak, Barbara Wilson, Flora Gallegos, Eleanor Ward, Evelyn Weis, Jean Ann Voss, Betty Teas, Gloria Anderson, Irene Devert, Doris Jeffries, Rose Mary Cowger, Lois Scott, Bette Bruin. Row 3: Beatrice Vandenberg, Gloria Apker, Arlene Froehlich, Geraldine Schwass, Anne Benacka, Ruth Bershinski, Evelyn Posthumus, Marcella Mullens, Shirley Tatgenhorst, Betty Meyer, Kathleen Hunter, Wanda Ethridge, June Lotz, Lucille Shipe, Genevieve Yatsak, Nelda Heffren, Doris Gay, Beatrice Johnson, Antoinette Gambino. Row 4: Irene Paulos, Vivian Schroeder, Alice Rossing, Mary Thode, Rose White, Judith Meder, Rose Marie Hues, Barbara Drefhall, Avened Keys, Gladys Luehis, Theodora Horner, Faith Pirratke, Bonnie Kenrich, Leona Van Noort, Helen Gierde, Lela Ferris.





BOYS GLEE CLUB

Left to right

Row 1 Don Leturno, Richard Aiello, Richard Britton, Jack Cotton, Quentin Walker, Harold Jones, Loring Stevenson, Eugene Galden, John Bennett, Bill Norman, George Onello, Robert Baker, Richard Carv. Row 2 Bill Higgins, Robert Anders, Rudy Schreiber, Doug Smith, Dick Spitzka, Bill Heaton, Phil Hayes, Bob Achor, Bob Allen, Paul Parent, Jim Goodchild, Clifford Navaw, Leon Woodworth, Carl Zedstra, Henry Yonkman. Row 3 Richard Roseland, Leonard Bennett, Walter Bielawski, Ralph Silberman, Gerald Jacobs, Donald Drefhall, Tom Rabendunst, Teddy Reimer, Stanley Maslinski, Dave Kuss, Joseph Puglise, Clifford Walling, James Bethel, Dick Gardiner, John Schoap.

Voice and Instrument

The popularity of the Boys Glee club grows from year to year. Its music, usually of the robust type that appeals to everyone, and its enthusiasm always make a hit. Appearances through the year included the Christmas program, "Stand by For Action" revue, Spring concert, PTA and Kiwanis programs, and above all the appearance on the High School Studio party over N. B. C. April 10.

Victory concerts were the foremost project this year of Thornton's band. At the concerts the band played compositions by composers from South America, Russia, China, and Great Britain; the victory concerts were followed by an All-American program. These were in addi-

tion to the annual band concert, this year the fourteenth concert.

The football season showed the band's ingenuity when it magnified throngs of people by executing novel and clever formations.

Because of transportation difficulties band contests in Illinois were impracticable this year; just the soloists and ensembles took part in activities at various places in the township.

At graduation and honors assemblies, as well as at athletic contests, civic celebrations, and military induction ceremonies, the band offered music which helped to make such celebrations complete.





BAND

Row 1: Shirley Alford, Laurel Barnett, Ruth LaRue, Betty Simnick, Barbara Jones, Lew Achor, Virginia Jacobs, Lois Waaso, Beatrice Ranney. Row 2: Muriel Stahnke, Melvin Beagle, Phyllis Patterson, Jim Vondracek, Bill Marlatt, John Haase, Thomas Anderson, Manfred Wenzel, Helen Boudreau, Frederick Hess, Robert Madden, Ed Thomas. Row 3: Eugene Grassmick, Roland Nelson, Robert Bachmann, Laurel Caproni, Svend Ohrvall, Charles Reed, Neil Worcester, Joe Molnar, Jack DeVries, Paul DeGraff, Bill Hanev, Lois Haase, Esther Breitenheid, Marvin Thompson, John Tourtellotte, Sally Guild, Betty Fredrickson. Row 4: P.O. Vrangtewey, Jimmy Harrison, Donald Fredrickson, Robert Miller, Kent Wilkinson, Donald Ross, Harry Coffin. Row 5: John Cairns, Charles Pokorny, Bill Haase, Muriel Clard, Raymond Bailia, James Richmond, Art VanDerAa, Haskell Laramie, Chuck Conant, Sam Rice, Beverly Grenier, Ruth Hansen, Marian Jenkins, Mildred Olsen.

Bands

SECOND BAND

Row 1: Delores Wilck, Carolyn Boudreau, Howard Shupe, Dorothy Glover, Aurelia Walter, Martha Gerholdt, Lyle Genens, Norma Giteronke, Milton Degenhort. Row 2: Pearl Rouse, Tom Cantwell, Phillip Miller, Warren Smart, Anna Van Milligan, Joyce Nowicke, Phyllis Reasor, Marion Hillger, Shirley Williamson, Betty McKay, George Kalman, Annabeth Ridder, Carl Kordewich, George Backus, Ralph Speis. Row 3: Lois Taylor, Joy Reasor, Evelyn Nelson, James Rossing, Ann Martin, Wendell Cantwell, Carol Turz, Ira DeYoung, Glen Zornig, Joe Tienstra, Courtney Miffin.





ORCHESTRA

Row 1: John Woodrich, Gerald Issacson, Yvette Bunce, Doris Becker, Mary Herthel, Margaret Wiltsee, George Clark, Paula Adler, Carol Vander Klout, Betty Wilkes. Row 2: Christine Lochhead, Henry Lach, Constance Wright, Myron Jebens, David Huston, Jane Barber, Paul Field, Harriette Jones, Barbara Jones, Shirley Alford, Glenn Pirtz. Row 3: James Rowe, Arthur Simons, Betty Bergstrom, Esther Lavy, Barbara Drew, Brenton Hoover, Betty Kuykendall, Grace Ravesloot, Marjorie Wilkes, Bob Achor, Junetta Skye, Laurel Rae Barnett, Norbert John Giese. STANDING: Leo Sample, Betty Fredrickson, Marvin Thompson, Warren Gray, Paul Stracre, Ruth LaRue, Anita Dege, Sam Rice, Julie Ocker, Bobbie Maloney, Donald Henkle, Bill Haase, John Haase, Donald Wernicke, George Woodrich, Billy Gallett, Marvin Lehning, Emmett Boyer, Bob Grange. STAGE: Mary Hobbs, Betty Roberts, Elaine Cawby, Alice Carter, Edwin Salter, Shirley Anderson, Jeanne Knapp, Harriet De Young.



Orchestra

Imagine being able to see the plays from the front row. I'll bet you didn't know people could be that lucky! Well they can and they are.

Thornton's orchestra presents two concerts each year, in addition to supplying music for the productions of the dramatic department. At the Christmas season with the help of the Chorus and Glee clubs, it presents the Christmas concert, a program in keeping with the spirit of the season. People come from near and far for the thrill that comes with the orchestra's splendid music.

The annual Spring concert, again with the aid of the Chorus and Glee clubs, is a very special event because it is the last major music performance of the school year. Among the numbers the orchestra will play this year is the First Movement of Cesar Franck's D minor Symphony, and the tuneful, melodious London Suite by Coates.

1943 marks the twenty fifth year that the orchestra has been functioning here at Thornton. Yes, for twenty-five years this musical organization has afforded great pleasure to Thornton students and community.





Aren't they sweet



Sign here, please



No draft troubles yet



Did you see my picture?



Spring is here



Long years ago



and so forth



Is it worth the trouble?



Utter despair



On the receiving end

Latini



LATINI

SEATED Joan Bethel, program chairman, Jean Baxter, president, Doris Anderson, secretary
STANDING Bruce Harlan, vice-president, Donald Dretvoll, treasurer

If you happen to pass the Little Theater after school, you may hear a language strange to your ear. It may be any one of the four foreign languages taught at Thornton, French, Latin, German, or Spanish. One of the language clubs is holding a meeting and presenting a skit in its original language, or perhaps music typical of the nationality is being presented. Gay programs are provided to promote interest in the language, the peoples, and their customs.

One of the achievements of Le Cercle Francais was the annual Christmas party where a puppet show was featured. Part of the program at each meeting is conducted in French.



LE CERCLE FRANCAIS

Jane Roman, program chairman, Mary Joanne Tawzer, vice-president; Barbara Anderson, treasurer; Margaret Wiltsee, secretary; Emmett Boyer, president; Bruce Hertig, sergeant at arms.

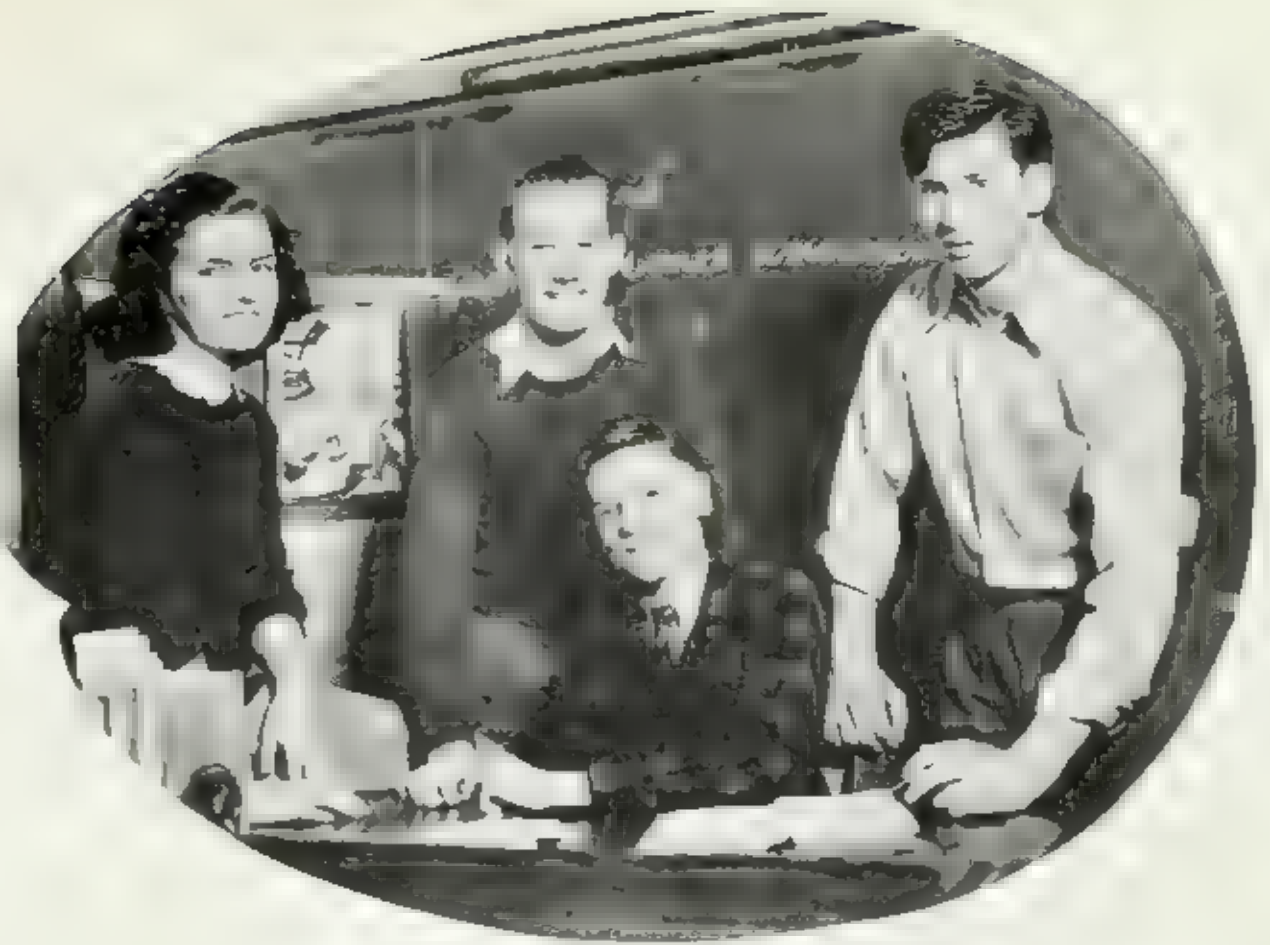
Le Cercle Francaise



El Club

EL CLUB

Pat Rowlette, vice-president
Walter Clark, treasurer, John
Cary, president Jack Lipe, sec
retary



Latini holds its meetings seventh period, as do the other language clubs, because of the transportation problem involved in holding after school sessions. Latini has continued in its aim of the past years to decorate the Latin room with Roman pictures and statues

Die Deutsche Ecke celebrated Christmas in a gala way at its special Old Heidelberg party, where root beer flowed freely

Ingenious students of the third and fourth year Spanish class wrote, produced, and acted in original skits for the El Club. During the year the club entertained at Firman House in Chicago's Mexican quarter with music and short one act plays

DIE DELTSCHE

Carl Geffert, vice-president David Owens, president Frederick Nietfeldt, treasurer
Bob McCullough, secretary



Die Deutsche Ecke





PURPLE X

Row 1 Doug Smith, Arthur Brookley, Mary Herthel, Patricia Armington, Lorraine Cassel, John Kuykendall, Jim Mitchell. Row 2 O. F. Umbaugh, Vera Crites, Elva Martin, E. Keating, John Woodrich, Ruth Bertelspacher, Alice Savage, W. P. Froom. Row 3 Joanne Lipe, Therese Maguire, Fred Diekman, Jim Scott, Leonard Brudrick, Bob Murphy, Ruth Hansen, Bette Spitzka, Sylvia Prygocki.

Purple X

Purple X is a group of students and faculty members organized in 1938 for the purpose of discussing and finding solutions to problems which concern both students and faculty members.

The need for organized student recreation brought forth an activity, known as the open house, usually held after athletic contests, which was to prove very popular.

Additional recreation in the form of student assemblies is sponsored by the Purple X.



Hi-Y

To create, maintain, and extend the ideals of Christian character throughout the school and the community" is the purpose of Hi-Y.

In addition to the weekly meetings the club promoted a number of social activities, including basketball games. It helped conduct the Club Sahara, dry teen age night club, sponsored by the Hi-Y. M. C. A. As a school service, the club maintained checkroom facilities for the Purple X open houses.

Hi-Y

Jim Mitchell, recording secretary, Carl Gettler, corresponding secretary, Philip McBain, president, Robert McBain, treasurer, Martin S. Katz, sophomore secretary, Fred Snyder, vice president.





The Student Personnel Council

The Student Personnel council was organized in 1941 to aid in building school spirit. The council members work to build up attitudes against "cutting school" and against other infractions of Thornton regulations. No tattling is the rule, the members try to make "cutters" realize the disadvantages of being away from school. Another duty of the Student Personnel council is to mail cards to the parents of those students absent from school.

PIERIAN CLUB

Dick Campbell, Doris Davis, Dorothy E. McCord, Mary Sapienza, Shirley Davis, Katherine Kehle, Jack Craig, Ellen Marie Myrborg

Pierian Club

The Pierian club takes its name from the Pierian spring, that mythical fountain sacred to the Muses, visited by those seeking poetic inspiration. Its aim is to gather into a group those Thornton students who enjoy writing so that they compare manuscripts.

To become a member of the club, one must submit a written manuscript as proof of his interest in writing. Initiation ceremonies are held at the beginning of each semester.



STUDENT PERSONNEL COUNCIL

Row 1: Shirley Cope, Mary Herthel, O. F. Umbaugh, Fred Diekman, Jean Hagans
Row 2: Jean Hoehne, LaVine Escher, Gerald Rogers, Jeanne McNeil, Sylvia Prysock, Brenda Snyder
Row 3: Gorgelette Alexander, Arthur Brookley, David Ross, Campbell McConnell, Carl Sandin, Barbara Williams



TODAY'S TRANSPORTATION

Muriel Wordelmann, secretary; Doris McManus, president; Elaine Massey, treasurer; George Kilman, vice-president.



Today's Transportation

The purpose of the Bicycle club, made up of those who ride bicycles to school, is threefold to provide an opportunity for good fellowship in cycling, to educate students in the ways of safety, and to learn the proper care and maintenance of a bicycle, especially during time of war.

The club functions during the fall and spring months only, at which time a limited group ride to nearby outdoor recreation areas. A picnic is held in Thornton Forest preserve.

Your Move

Check!" Another blow is scored against a checker opponent. Boys interested in matching wits at the long known games of chess and checkers meet regularly to try to outwit others in series of games. In these contests prolonged concentration and deep thought are the weapons used both for defense and offense. Matches which continued throughout the year culminated late in the spring in a tournament which revealed Thornton's champion chess and checker men.

Albert Stevenson, president; John Armstrong, secretary-treasurer; Robert Allen, vice-president.





Walter Ortel, secretary; June Norkas, treasurer; Clifford Martin, president; Frances Sarnowski, program chairman; Orin Kite, vice president

CLICK!

Future Homemakers

Click!

The Home Economics club, affiliated with the National Home Economics Association, each year sends two delegates to the state club camp held late in the summer. Several delegates are also sent to the fall district rally.

A tea and style show at which the girls model for their mothers the clothes they have made is the outstanding social event of the year. Dressing dolls to be distributed to needy children at Christmas time is an annual project of the club.

Photography is an excellent career for young people today; and although they may not have this in mind, the members of the Camera club learn many useful things. They learn to focus a camera correctly, to take time exposures, and to use light to the best advantage. Then when pictures have been taken, the members use the school dark room to print their own pictures.

This year the club sponsored contests in which any amateur photographer could submit his best picture.

FUTURE HOMEMAKERS

Gloria Gronwall, secretary; Leonora DeBoer, president; Evelyn Nelson, vice-president; Irene DeVert, treasurer.





Swing and Sway

If it so happens that you're a bit square or you've lost your hepcat rating, just step in on one of those solid jive sessions held every Friday afternoon in the Little Theater. If you're not too far on the rocks, you'll come out a solid sender—no foolin'.

It looks as though the males have taken over this department for this year at least. "Chink" Shumard is a natural for the president spot with Lou Benson and Doug Smith as his seconds. And believe me, a fellow in his position needs all the help he can get. "Chuck" Kindred wields the pen for the club and Jim Ducett handles the cash. The success of the club this year was shown by the weekly turnouts.

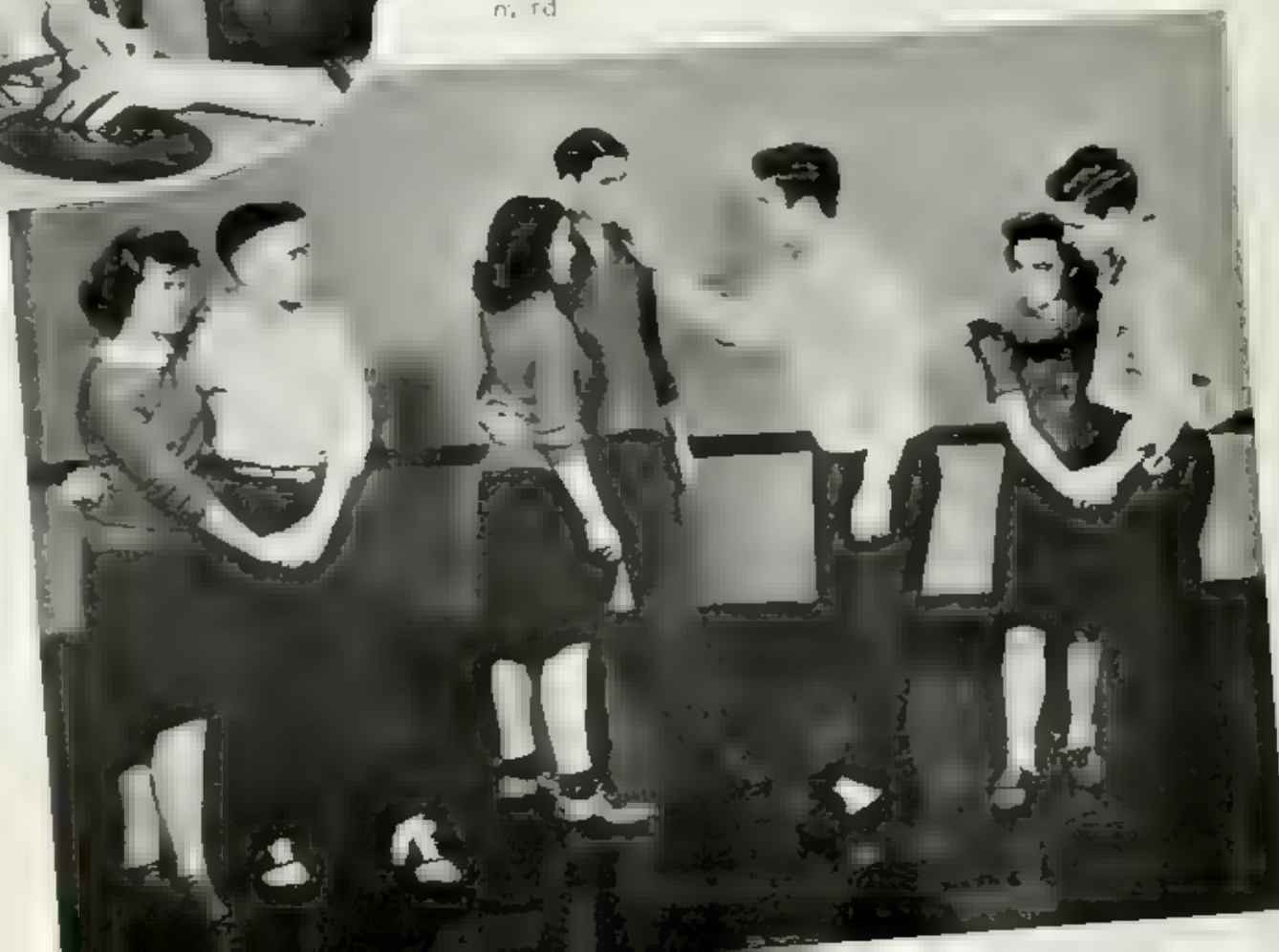


SWING CLUB

Barbara Buyer, Doug Smith, Joy Mallender, Jim Ducett, Charles Kindred, Dona Koss, Charles Shumard

SWING CLUB

Doug Smith, vice president, Charles Shumard, president, Charles Kindred, secretary, Jim Ducett, treasurer





"Blue Heaven"

What a thrill! The Junior-senior Prom at last! On June first in a flurry of long skirts and the thickest possible fog we split, almost our sides laughing at some of the senior boys in their 'ham' version of "Cyrano de Bergerac". Our resistance was low, specially after the delicious banquet, and our surprise was unending at seeing the Thornton's well known cafeteria transformed into the Chicago skyline after dark. I heard tell that in preparation for the transformation some of the boys were so splattered with luminous paint that they made a good imitation of the Milky Way.

After the banquet we sliced our way through the fog to the Lincolnshire Country Club, where we waltzed and jitterbugged to the music of Carl Schreiber. After dancing in the far off world of "Blue Heaven" till one, the super-delicious, wonderful, glamorous Prom ended!"



THEY PLAY



JERRY McFARLAND





FOOTBALL TEAM 1

Row 1: Ed Seiner, Roy Swanson, Bob Benson, Phil Farris, Paul Black, Sam Nevills, John Gailey
 Row 2: Bob Moorhouse, Harry Robertson, Henry Rateree, Coach Lipe, Ira Benson

Wildcats on the March



Coach K. J. Lipe, Captain Sam Nevills, Assistant
 T. B. Huddleston

Six wins balanced against two losses. That's Thornton's football record for the 1942 season. The Purple started out with a victory over an easy Morton team, a victory impressive in score in spite of the muddy condition of the field. The following week Thornton met West Aurora on its field. Play was practically flawless the first half, and although the team let up a little in the second, it defeated West Aurora, 19-12. Thornton then proceeded to take a close one from Cal City. The game was highlighted by ground gaining runs by Rateree and counterattacks by Cal City's La Nue. After four exciting quarters, Thornton emerged victorious, but with only a two point margin. The boys evidently thought this was too close for comfort and downed Morgan Park with a one-sided 12-0. For no apparent reason, this seemed to be the year to lose when everyone was thinking just the opposite. With everyone confident, everyone except the coaches, who are just naturally pessimistic, Thornton set out to conquer Argo, only

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1—Harry Robertson, full back. Junior. Now in United States Coast Guard. Gave Jock the ball when team wanted some yardage. Always got it.

2—Bob Moorehouse, quarter back. Junior. First year. Called signals.

3—Alec "Dede" Clark, right half back. Junior. First year on team. Smallest man on team. Tough for his weight.

4—Don Growden, guard. Junior. First year. Injured at first of the season, came back. Good tackle.

5—John Gailey, left end. Senior. Serious man on team. Second year. "Handsome John Gailey."

6—Louis "Lou" Benson, full back, left half. Sophomore. First year. Versatile hard runner, tackler.

7—Ray Cotton, tackle. Junior. First year. Comes from family where all boys are big.

8—Ira Benson, right half. Senior. Third year. "Snerd." Veteran, tough.

9—Hendry "Stick" Bennett, end. Junior. Second year. Tall, switched from back to end, saw much action.



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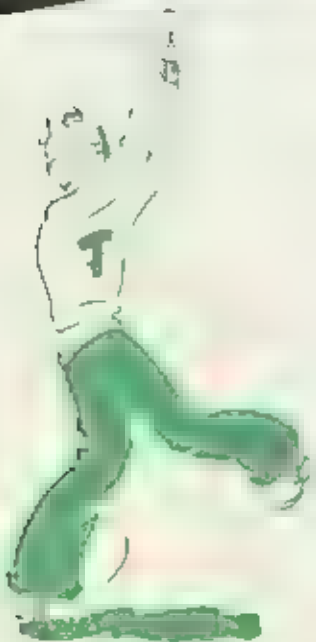
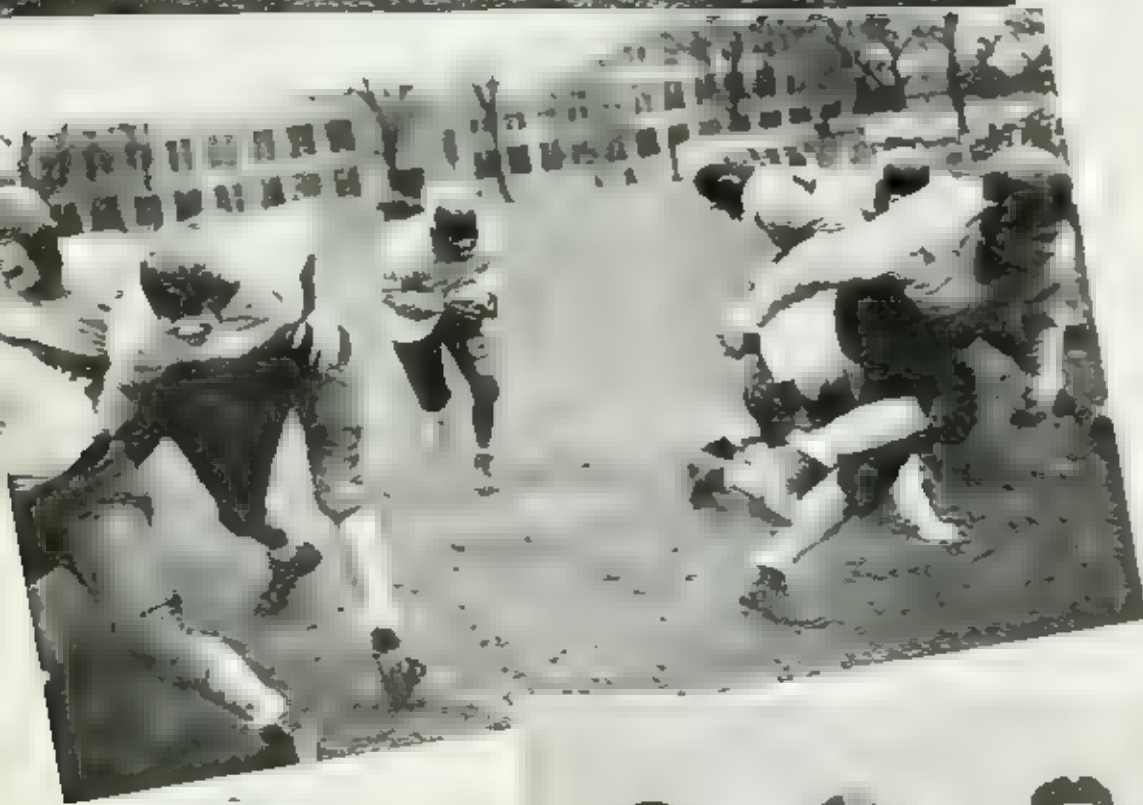
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to be turned back by a heartbreaking score of 7-6. This game lacked excitement and interest in the first quarters, but it was a real thriller in the last quarter when Thornton scored but failed to convert. The impact of this defeat was eased a little by a 6-0 win over Kankakee in a seesaw affair in which neither team seemed to make much progress. A loss to Bloom blacked out any joy that was to be had from the KKK victory. This game had a lot of individual stars, and many still contend that smart quarterbacking by Mr. Schwoefferman of Bloom was the predominant factor in Thornton's defeat. The opposing team conceded Jock Robertson to be Thornton's chief threat, and, truly, it seemed he couldn't be stopped when he carried that ball. The Purple finished its season with an easy win over Blue Island, 19-1.

The frosh-soph football boys are the ones who will play next season as Thornton's varsity. The '42 team won every game and overwhelmingly defeated Thornton's chief rival, Bloom, in the final contest, 26 to 12. In fact, in the past four years these beginners have taken four South Suburban frosh soph championships without losing a single game.

FROSH SOPH FOOTBALL

Row 1: Jack MacDonald, Deo Gemignani, Warren Fraser, Dave McGuinn, Jack Fleener, August Rinella
Row 2: James Ireland, Elvin Brown, Richard Steere, Edward Milen, Pete Petkovich, Warren Rogers, Don Walton





1—Donald Bitters, guard Senior. Second year varsity

2—Roy Swanson, right tackle. Senior Second year Aggressive, fast, first down on kick off

3—Paul Black, guard and tackle Senior All around man Second year Provided humor for team

4—Phil Farris, center Senior. Second year varsity football Good defense man

5—Ed Seiner, end Senior. Third year as a regular All South Suburban team Good pass catcher

6—Ted Tarala, tail back Junior Greased lightning

7—Bob Benson, guard. Sophomore Youngest regular. First year varsity

8—Sam Nevills, left tackle. Senior Big man on team Broke up many plays, good defense man Second year varsity Honorary Captain of '42 squad

9—Henry "Pappy" Rateree, tail back Senior. Passer, fast. Popular





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There's the Tip-off

The flying Clouds this year did not average the usual upwards of six feet. John Gailey (3), senior and forward, was one of the few tall men on the team. He and Bennett were usually the ones to retrieve the ball from the board.

Henry Rateree (7), senior with three years of varsity experience, was the veteran of the team. His passes and shots were at times almost unbelievable to both spectator and player, especially to the opponent.

Dede Clark (6), forward, the shorty of five feet plus, was fast, always on the move, leading the team on a fast break into the basket. In spite of his lack of longitude, he was the team's high scorer.

Ray Gesche (8), guard, turned out to delight the spectators with his timely last minute tallies which won several tight games for the Purple. Deadly accurate shots from any place on the court and passes which seldom failed to reach their destination made him a valuable member of the five.

Hendry "Stick" Bennett (4), the tallest man on the team, was invaluable in helping to get rebounds from the backboard. A junior, "Stick" has played varsity ball for two years and will be here for next year's team.

John Ross (1), substitute guard, saw much action and would have seen even more if a boy named Rateree had played an other position.

Tall, lanky Harold Shymkus, the junior who played center and forward positions, developed rapidly during the season. He has a good one-hand push shot.

Lou Benson (5), the only soph among the basketeers, played forward. This is his first year of varsity competition.

Howard Ginter (7), forward and senior, played a good part of the time, interchanging position with Gailey. Only lack of height prevented his playing even more.

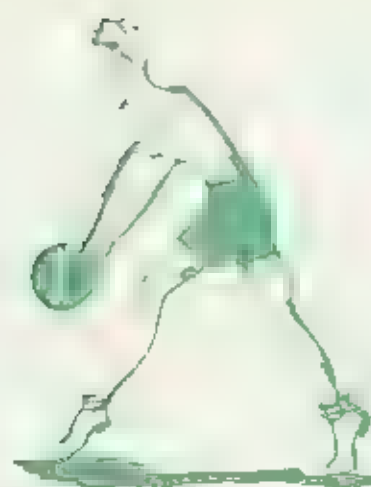
Thornton won some close games this year from teams rated better by most "dopesters," but the victories were gained not by luck or loose playing, but good, hard, clean ball. In the South Suburban league, the Clouds finished second with eight wins and two losses, one to Kankakee and one to Cal City. The arch rival, Bloom, was defeated both times by lopsided scores 35-22 and 36-23, much to the joy of the home fans. The thrilling game was the one with Cal City here, the game was tied up until the last second when Gesche plunked in a long one-handed shot to clinch the long part of the score for the Clouds.

SOUTH SUBURBAN LEAGUE STANDINGS

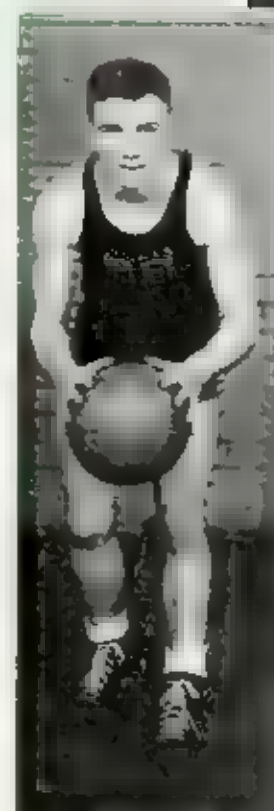
| | Won | Lost | Points | Opponents |
|---------------------|-----|------|--------|-----------|
| Cal City | 11 | 1 | 484 | 295 |
| Thornton | 10 | 2 | 497 | 364 |
| Kankakee | 7 | 5 | 484 | 426 |
| Blue Island | 5 | 7 | 452 | 467 |
| Bloom | 5 | 7 | 382 | 353 |
| Lockport | 3 | 9 | 378 | 574 |
| Argo | 1 | 11 | 354 | 549 |

BASKETBALL LIGHTS

Row 1- Carl Kordewich, August Rinella, Campbell McConnell, Gerald Bradley, Jim Kennan, Don Fredrickson, Bob Benson. Row 2- Joe Pytz, Darrell Thomas, Dan Latowski, Roger Frebel, Robert Russell, John Tourtellotte, Bill Kolloway, Pete Koteff. Row 3- William Purdin, Allan Golding, Harry McKee, Earl Moore, Ralph Silberman, Julius Chick, Dick Jaeschke, Alvin Brown, Bernard Arndt.



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INDIVIDUAL STARS
 Row 1: Ernest Martin, Glenn Portz, Bob McKinnon, John Woodrich, Bill Mason, George Woodrich, Gene Robinson, Kenneth Johnson, Art Mathieu, Walter Bielawski. Row 2: Robert Griswold, Alfred Olson, Norman Grand, Fred Della Rose, Louis Benson, Ronald Bark, John McConnell, Harry Robertson, Alfred McIlquham, Norman Cipelli, Dick Novotny, Dick Lanham, Bill Hayes. Row 3: Bill Mohny, Tom Einbecker, Jasper Oling, Hendry Bennett, Jack Jabrosky, Dewey Lang, Frank Bauman, Phil Farris, Sam Nevills, Leon Moore, Sam Sutton, John Cairns, Ira Benson, Coach Beck.

Individual Stars

In the track department, Thornton placed first in the senior and second in the junior division in South Suburban competition. The eleven boys, with their total number of points who won letters on the senior division were: Frank Bauman, 43; Robert McCaa, 40; John McConnell, 27; Ronald Bark, 24; Louis Benson, 24; Ernest Martin, 19; Carl Portz, 17; Gene Robinson, 15; Fred Della-Rose, 14; Paul Black, 12; and Ray Johnson, 12. Lettermen in the junior division were: Robert Benson, Dick Brund, Tom Einbecker, Dominic Dirutigliana, Richard Lanham, Alfred McIlquham, Jasper Oling, Jack Quillinan, Paul Robertson, Sam Sutton, and George Woodrich.

Pins Up

In the bowling league this year, Bob Sellin had the highest individual average for three games, 599, and George Williams for one, 231.

The officers included Paul Vroegindewey, president, and Bill Benson, secretary treasurer.

Individual scores at the end of the season were

| Name | Number of games | Average |
|-------------------|-----------------|---------|
| Bob Sellin | 60 | 161.1 |
| George Williams | 60 | 150.5 |
| Bill Rodman | 57 | 145.34 |
| Tony Jacobs | 39 | 145.25 |
| Paul Vroegindewey | 60 | 140.0 |





LEFT TO RIGHT Arthur Hun Simon, Pete Koteff, Steve Koteff, Frank Powers, Clarence Evelyn Howard

Love—Nothing

Thornton's racqueteers finished second in the league, runner up to Blue Island, who took top honors. The home team started well by downing Lockport 5-0; then it defeated Mt. Carmel by a close 3-2. In the next match with University High, a non-league team, Thornton lost 1-2. Then followed three losses, all by the same score, 5-0, to Blue Island, Evanston, and Blue Island again.

Those awarded letters for the season were Walter Diechen, George Griffith, Tom Phillips, Charles Strawbridge, Wallace Tourtellotte, Jack Willner, all seniors, with the exception of Strawbridge, who was a freshman.

LOVE—NOTHING

LEFT TO RIGHT Charles Strawbridge, Walter Diechen, Tom Phillips, Jack Powley, Jack Willner, Bob Simon



Fore!

After having not won a golf title for twenty five years, Thornton won or tied for two South Suburban titles in the past three years.

During 1942 the final scores in golf were second place in the South Suburban league, with nine wins, two losses, and a tie, and third place in the district tournament.

Those who earned letters were captain Clarence Evelyn, Art Haines, Pete Koteff, Steve Koteff, Jim Powers, and Howard Simon. All these boys except Pete Koteff, who was a freshman, were seniors. At the close of the season, the silver medal, which goes to the second most valuable league player of the year, was awarded to Pete Koteff.





STR-R-IKE THR REE

Row 1. George Steffek—manager, Tony Jacobs, Andrew Baud, Dean Steele, Ray Geschke, Joe Wishba, Ben Hughes—manager. Row 2. John Ross, Joe Fierro, Franklin Baker, Marlin Johnson, Joe Carroll, Howard Adler, Henry Rateree. Row 3. Coach Froschauer, Harold Ziebell, Charles Armington, Bob Kickert, Russell Van Der Aa, Floyd Croy, Bill Berberian, Dave Staehling, Harold Van Milligan.



Str-r-ike Tha-ree!

Undefeated in the South Suburban league, Thornton's baseball team finished first. With Franklin Baker, Anthony Jacobs, Robert Kickert, and Henry Rateree as mainstays on the pitching staff, not much trouble was encountered from the opponents. The toughest game of the season was with Blue Island when the game went to ten innings; Thornton finally won 4 to 3. Other regulars were Joe Fox and Harold Ziebell, catchers; Floyd Croy, first base; Marlin Johnson, second base; Dave Staehling, third base; Joe Wishba, shortstop; Charles Armington, right field; Andrew Baud, center field; William Berberian, left field; Howard Adler, infield substitute; Ray Geske and Joe Fierro, outfield substitutes.

RECORD FOR SEASON

| | | | |
|----------|----|--------------|---|
| Thornton | 10 | Fenger | 7 |
| Thornton | 7 | Morton | 7 |
| Thornton | 4 | Roosevelt | 2 |
| Thornton | 10 | Lockport | 7 |
| Thornton | 12 | Pullman Tech | 6 |
| Thornton | 7 | Blue Island | 1 |
| Thornton | 6 | Bloom | 4 |
| Thornton | 7 | Lockport | 3 |
| Thornton | 17 | Pullman Tech | 1 |
| Thornton | 11 | Argo | 3 |
| Thornton | 4 | Blue Island | 3 |
| Thornton | 5 | Bloom | |





T MEN
 LEFT TO RIGHT Roy Swanson, treasurer, Henry Rateree, secretary, Paul Black, vice president, Sam Nevills, president

T Men

The Lettermens club is one of the more select groups at Thornton since only those boys who have earned a letter in athletic competition are eligible for membership.

The officers this year are: Big Sam Nevills, who was the football team's star tackle, president, Paul Black, vice president, and Roy Swanson, treasurer, were also tackles on the football team. "Hurricane" Henry Rateree, of

football, basketball, and baseball fame, is secretary. These lads govern the fifty members of the organization who earned letters during the 1942-1943 school year. The group meets on the last Friday of each month.

With the proceeds earned by selling candy at the home basketball games, the boys treat themselves to a banquet or picnic.



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Play for Health

Bowling, archery, badminton, basketball are a few of the many sports offered to the girls of Thornton by the Girls Athletic Association. Each year more than two hundred girls participate in these sports, thereby earning their numerals, three inch T's, or large T's. Numerals are earned in the same way for participation in five sports; special awards in the form of large T's are presented by the G. A. A. Board to girls considered outstanding, not only in sports, but also in service to the organization.

The annual basketball banquet is the main event of the year. On the day the basketball tournament is completed, new members are initiated and awards are distributed. The class

winning the most tournaments throughout the year has its class title and numerals engraved on the trophy cup.

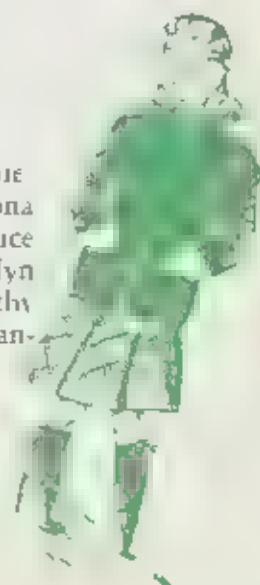
Besides the banquet, social activities include splash parties, hikes, and picnics. In order to bring into closer relationship the girls of Thornton and girls of nearby suburban schools, those girls are invited to Play Days, where competition is all for the fun of play and exercise.

In 1941 the Leaders Club, a new branch of G. A. A., was organized. The members are girls who, in addition to being good athletes, are able to direct other girls. Two or three assist the physical education instructor in each freshman class.



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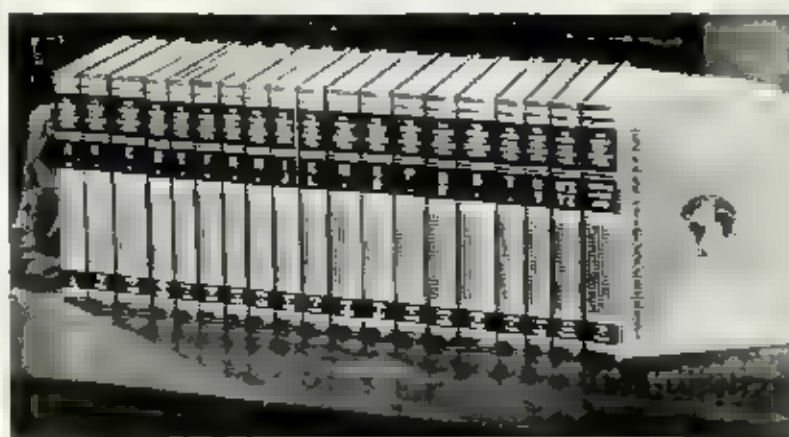
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